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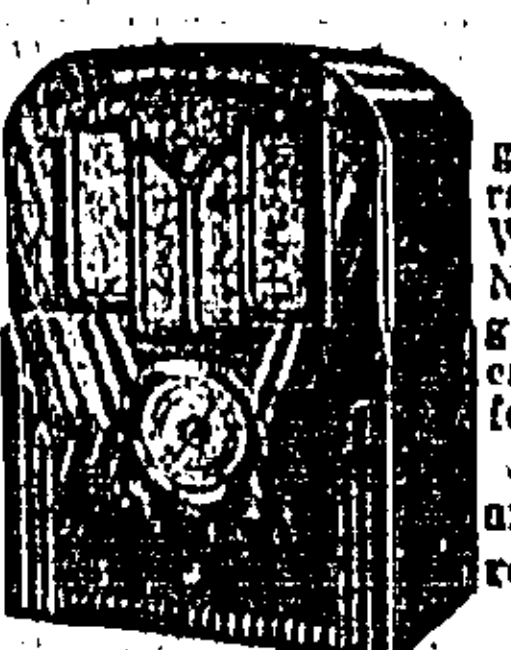
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NAZI FORCES ARE RETREATING TOWARDS YUGOSLAVIAN BORDER

"WORLD WAR IS UNLIKELY AT PRESENT"

Judge Wang's Views On Austrian Coup.

MORE DANGER IN FAR EAST

(From Our Own Correspondent)

CANTON, YESTERDAY.

"GERMANY IS ATTEMPTING TO DOMINATE AUSTRIA THROUGH THE UPRISE OF THE NATIONAL SOCIALISTS, BUT I DO NOT BELIEVE THIS WILL LEAD TO ANOTHER WORLD WAR," DECLARED DR. WANG CHUNG-HUI, COMMENTING UPON THE ASSASSINATION OF CHANCELLOR ENGELBERT DOLLFUS OF AUSTRIA.

The Judge of the Permanent Court of International Justice, who recently returned here from Europe, left yesterday afternoon by train for Hong Kong at the request of Mr. Hu Han-min, who desired to consult Judge Wang on legal and international problems concerning China. Before he left, he expressed his views on the European situation following the unsuccessful coup d'etat in Austria.

"Relations between Italy and Germany have become very strained," Dr. Wang commented. "Great Britain, France, and Italy have from the beginning supported the independence of Austria, so Germany will not be able to achieve her aim."

"However, another world war is unlikely to break out now, as the countries concerned are hampered by economic difficulties."

Judge Wang expressed greater anxiety over the possibility of a second Russo-Japanese war. While he hopes that no clash will occur, Dr. Wang pointed out that in the event of such a conflict, China must be fully prepared for the emergency, lest North China should again become the cockpit of the struggle.

DESPERATE DRIVE BY COMMUNISTS NANKING MINIMISES SITUATION.

2,000 - STATED KILLED

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday. Communist troops in Eastern Kiangsi are making a desperate attack on Central and Northern Fukien with Kwefu, Chinglu, and Kienning counties as their objectives, according to press reports, received here from Amoy.

The latest thrust, it is said, is intended to reach to the sea, so that the Communists may have fresh supplies and armaments. These dispatches are confirmed in part by an official announcement last night from Nanking, stating that the protective guards from Southern Chekiang are engaging the Red troops near the Kiangsi-Fukien borders.

CASUALTIES NOT STATED. Minimising the seriousness of the situation, other Nanking official reports stated that in all the encounters on the Fukien-Kiangsi borders and in Central Kiangsi the Government troops repelled the attacks.

WEATHER FORECAST

Cloudy and showery, with moderate east winds, was the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last night.



Captain Franz von Papen, Nazi Vice-Chancellor, whose appointment as German Minister at Vienna, accepted by the Austrian Government, is regarded with disapproval by Italy.

HUNGARIAN ARTIST TALKS ON AUSTRIA

THREE PARTIES IN OPPOSITION.

NONE STRONG ENOUGH TO TAKE INITIATIVE

"The people of Austria must be in a bad way for them to do these things," said Mr. A. F. Konya, who has spent many years in Vienna to the Sunday Herald yesterday. "The average Viennese," he continued, "is a quiet, peaceable fellow, and it must be because they are suffering many hardships that they have turned to these methods of obtaining their desires."

Educated in Budapest, Munich, Paris and Italy, Mr. Konya, a talented artist from Hungary, began his career as a designer of sets for some of the Viennese movies.

During the Genoa Economic Conference he was commissioned to make drawings of Mr. Lloyd George, the French Foreign Minister, M. Louis Barthou, the famous German Finance Minister, Herr Walter Rathenau, and others for an official portfolio, a commission that was repeated at the time of the Reparations Commission. Then came more work for the screen in New York, Paris, and Berlin.

PRESS ILLUSTRATIONS. That work resulted in a commission to design a picture theatre for the Canal Company at (Continued on Page 15)

NEW LIFE MOVEMENT VIOLATED

Britisher Under Escort To Shanghai.

WALKED STRIPPED TO WAIST IN NANCHANG STREETS

Hankow, Yesterday. A Britisher was escorted by Chinese soldiers from Nanchang yesterday, and is now en route to Shanghai due to alleged violation of the New Life movement.

He is alleged to have walked in the streets of Nanchang stripped to the waist and to have fought with gendarmes when reprimanded.

His removal was recommended by the Consulate at Hankow. — Reuter.

DESPERATE STAND AT BLEIBURG

HEAVY CASUALTIES FOLLOW DAWN ATTACK BY MILITARY FORCES

MUSSOLINI REITERATES PLEDGE TO DEFEND INDEPENDENCE OF AUSTRIA

MARTIAL LAW AT SALZBURG

FIERCE FIGHTING CONTINUED IN SEVERAL DISTRICTS IN THE AUSTRIAN PROVINCES YESTERDAY. FOLLOWING THE SUPPRESSION OF THE NAZIS IN STYRIA, THE CENTRE OF THE STRUGGLE HAS NOW SWUNG SOUTH INTO CARINTHIA, THE INSURGENTS HAVING ESTABLISHED THEIR HEADQUARTERS AT BLEIBURG, A VILLAGE 25 MILES WEST OF KLAGENFURT, YUGOSLAVIA. SIMULTANEOUSLY, FRESH TROUBLE HAS BROKEN OUT AT SALZBURG, ON THE AUSTRO-BAVARIAN BORDER. MARTIAL LAW HAS BEEN DECLARED IN THE TOWN.

Italian troops are still massed on the border, and the Italian Dictator, Signor Mussolini, has indicated that he will not hesitate to throw them into action to defend the independence of Austria in the event of encroachment by other Powers.

Meanwhile, the Italian press has instituted a bitter tirade against Germany, violently censuring the Nazi disregard of the "laws of honour." The appointment of the Nazi Vice-Chancellor, Captain von Papen, as German Minister to Austria, is also regarded with strong disapproval in Rome. Although his appointment has been accepted by the Austrian Cabinet, it has not yet been decided whether certain conditions will be imposed on Germany before he takes over office.

The funeral of the murdered Austrian Chancellor, Dr. Engelbert Dollfuss, took place in Vienna yesterday afternoon amid scenes of great ceremonial. Eulogistic speeches were made to the vast crowd that assembled in front of the City Hall before the burial service.

INDEPENDENCE WILL BE MAINTAINED

FIERCE FIGHTING AT BLEIBURG.

Both Factions Suffer Heavy Casualties.

NAZI STRONGHOLD ATTACKED

Vienna, Yesterday.

The Nazis in Carinthia have established headquarters at Bleiburg. The Government forces attacked the town at dawn to-day and fierce fighting is going on with the gravest casualties on both sides.

Other Nazi contingents are holding a line between Lavamund and Wolsberg and are reported to be proceeding towards the Yugoslav frontier. The executive forces have entered Klagenfurt. Vice-Chancellor Von Papen is representing Germany at the funeral of Chancellor Dollfuss. — Reuter.

CAPT. VON PAPEN'S ACCEPTANCE.

Austria May Impose Conditions.

BERLIN IN CLEFT STICK

Vienna, Yesterday.

It is learned that Vice-Chancellor Von Papen will not represent Germany at the funeral of Dr. Engelbert Dollfuss. Although the Austrian Cabinet have accepted him as German (Continued on Page 18.)

MUSSOLINI STANDS FIRM BY AUSTRIA

WILL NOT HESITATE TO USE TROOPS.

NO DIPLOMATIC PROTEST

Rome, Yesterday.

The Italian Premier, Signor Benito Mussolini, does not propose diplomatically to protest to Berlin regarding the Nazi coup in Vienna. He is determined, however, to keep troops on the frontier and to use them unhesitatingly to defend the independence of Austria against any Power interfering.

It is not clear whether he still considers it necessary to consult Great Britain and France in such an event. — Reuter.

Swiss Protest To Berlin.

Berne, Yesterday.

The Swiss Federal Council is sending a strong note to Berlin, protesting against the smuggling of explosives into Austria via Switzerland. — Reuter.

MARTIAL LAW AT SALZBURG.

Fresh Disturbances Near Border.

POLICE CHIEF'S SUICIDE

Vienna, Yesterday.

Martial law has been proclaimed at Salzburg, near the Austro-Bavarian border, owing to fresh disturbances. It is not yet known how far this will affect the musical festival, the opening of which was fixed for to-night, but it has already been postponed owing to the funeral of Dr. Dollfuss.

Many foreigners are staying here at present. Large bodies of Nazis are still holding out in Carinthia and are not expected to be cleared up before Monday.

In the meantime the Austrian minister to Rome, Dr. Anton Rintelen, who, despite reports to the contrary, is still alive, is believed to have played a far greater part in the revolt than was previously thought and it is reported that Herr Brande, the dismissed Police President, has committed suicide.

It has been established that the Austrian Legionaries, who assembled at Fraevall, Yugoslavia, commanded by Count von Rheimendorf, have crossed the frontier into Carinthia to reinforce the Nazis. — Reuter.



Bunny Austin reached the peak of his form yesterday in the Davis Cup, even displaying brilliance overhead.

BRITAIN LEADS

AUSTIN AND PERRY WIN IN SINGLES

CHALLENGE ROUND OF DAVIS CUP.

AUSTIN BEWILDERS AMERICAN OPPONENT BY SUPERB PLAY

Wood Falters After Leading Perry In Tense Struggle

London, Yesterday. Britain, the holders, are leading America by two matches to nil in the Challenge Round of the Davis Cup at Wimbledon.

Inspired tennis by Bunny Austin and a magnificent recovery by Fred Perry saw Frank Shields and Sidney Wood vanquished in most convincing manner in yesterday's opening singles matches.

The following were yesterday's scores:— F. J. Perry (Britain) beat S. D. Wood 6-1, 4-6, 5-7, 6-0, 6-3.

H. W. Austin (Britain) beat F. X. Shields 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

Fine weather favoured the commencement of the Challenge Round, and a crowd of 17,000 filled to capacity the gallery surrounding the Centre Court for the opening match between Bunny Austin and Frank Shields.

Austin immediately found his length and took Shields' cannonball services with delightful ease, skilfully steering his returns down the sidelines with unfailing regularity.

SHIELDS TAKES LEAD. The British player jumped into a 3-1 lead, but Shields then speeded up his game and smashed with terrific power to secure the next three games for a 4-3 lead.

Austin recovered, and, playing at the peak of his form—even his recognised weakness overhead was missing—he ran out for set at 6-4 as the result of fast and exciting play in which his perfect length to the corners proved the determining factor.

Shields crashed four untakeable aces in the fifth game of the second set, but Austin never let up for a second, and, bringing off several glorious smashies, took a two sets lead at 6-4.

AUSTIN WORLD-BEATER. Playing the game of his life, Austin carried all before him in the third set, dropping only one game.

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TERRIFIC DAMAGE

SURVEY OF U.S. DROUGHT DEVASTATION

\$1,436,000,000 LOSS IN MIDDLE-WEST.

1,000 DEATHS DUE TO HEAT WAVE

SPECIAL TO SUNDAY HERALD. (By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1891, Received July 28, 6.35 a.m.)

Washington, Yesterday.

The total loss of crops and livestock in the middle-west States of America caused by the drought, is estimated by the United Press at U.S. \$1,436,000,000. The estimate is based on destruction at present prices. It is expected that the shortage will increase prices and partially compensate for the losses.

The estimated losses for each State are as follows:—

KANSAS, \$290,000,000 in crops

and \$180,000,000 in livestock.

MISSOURI, \$250,000,000 in crops

and \$150,000,000 in livestock.

NEBRASKA, \$150,000,000 in crops

and \$75,000,000 in livestock.

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and \$5,000,000 in livestock.

TEXAS, \$75,000,000 in crops

and \$25,000,000 in livestock.

Arkansas, Iowa, Illinois and Indiana, combined total, \$200,000,000.

Over 1,000 persons were directly, or indirectly, killed by the heat wave, which has now ended. The drought, however, continues. — United Press per S. E. Levy & Company.

KOWLOON - CANTON RAILWAY

Draft Agreement Signed Yesterday.

Canton, Yesterday. The draft of the new profit-sharing agreement of the Canton-Kowloon Railway providing for the division of 72 per cent. of the profits to the Chinese section and 28 per cent. to the British, as concluded by the authorities of the two sections, will be signed in Hong Kong to-day.

Messrs. Li Sin-kan, Wu Chi-lyn and Wu Tung-chiu, Chinese delegates, left for Hong Kong this morning to sign for the Chinese section.

The agreement will be put into effect as soon as it is approved by the Governments concerned. — Central Press.

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STOP PRESS

CLOSE OF PLAY CRICKET

London, Yesterday.

The following were the close of play cricket scores:—

Surrey: 500 for 9 (E. R. T. Holmes 100) v. Kent.

Warwick: 265, Sussex: 33 for 1.

Glamorgan: 162 (P. Smith 5 for 39) Essex: 148 for 4.

Worcester: 320 (C. Parker 7 for 87) v. Gloucester.

Lancashire: 347 for 6 (Tyldesley 102 not out) v. Leicestershire.

Somerset: 181 (Smith 5 for 40) Middlesex: 94 for 2.

Yorkshire: 218 for 4 v. Notting.

Derbyshire: 301 for 5 (Worthington 144 not out) v. Hants.

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THE TREASURE

By BERNARD GERVAISE.

MME. MOUQUERIN was a slight sleeper. Otherwise she might not have been awakened by sounds that came from the garden. It was as though someone was breaking glass or pieces of slate. She awakened her husband.

"M. Mouquerin reluctantly got out of bed. Going to the window, he drew back the curtain. Below, in the garden, he saw a dim human form.

"A burglar!" whispered Mme. Mouquerin.

M. Mouquerin commanded silence with a gesture. Then, with a nose against the window, he watched what was apparently the man in the garden. And as his eyes became accustomed to the darkness, he perceived the man's singular behaviour. He walked to and fro, as though taking measurements. Then he used his legs as a compass. M. Mouquerin believed the man carried a spade.

"It's someone after our potatoes," declared M. Mouquerin, suddenly furious. "I'll learn him."

He hastily dressed, then took a loaded revolver from a drawer. Seeing this weapon, his wife begged him not to go in the garden. Thieves were desperate men. Any-thing could happen.

He stole down the stairs of the house he had recently built in an outer suburb of Paris. Creeping out of the back door, he noiselessly advanced until he took cover behind some bushes. One moment had been enough to change this retired shopkeeper into a primitive man intent on defending his possessions.

By parting the branches, M. Mouquerin was able to keep an eye on the intruder. Sometimes he stuck the spade in the earth as a land mark. Next, he would walk as though counting his steps, without any thought for the flowers and vegetables. They he would stop, and sniff the air, suggesting a wild thing of the woods which suspects the nearness of enemies.

Apparently he sensed the presence of the man who was watching him. He suddenly made for a wall.

"Hands up!" cried M. Mouquerin, quickly advancing. "All right," said the man, as he lifted his arms. "I'm not dangerous."

M. Mouquerin was a trifle disconcerted by this lack of resistance. Recovering his nerve, he told the man to go before him into the house. And as the intruder obeyed, M. Mouquerin thought what a scene this would make for a film.

He switched on the light as they entered the hall, and then directed the man into the dining-room. After he had switched on the light in this room he called to Helene to come down.

"Don't get frightened," he said when she entered the room and saw her husband covering the man with his revolver. "He's been quiet enough so far. All the same, you'd better search him. He may have a gun in his pockets."

With every indication of disgust, the woman went through the man's pockets. Finding no weapon, she asked her husband what he was going to do next.

"Do! Send for the police, of course. What a question!"

"Please don't do that," pleaded the man. "What do you think I was after in your garden?"

"My potatoes."

"Not on your life. I was trying to find my money."

This information troubled the Mouquerins. They could scarcely believe their ears. "I've money hidden in your garden," he continued. "Pots of money. I hoped to get it to-night without disturbing anyone. I missed the bus. I'd have done better to have asked your permission."

He wasn't much of a man to look at. He was under-sized, ill-nourished. Although youngish, he seemed to have run to seed. Altogether, his appearance did not say much for him. M. Mouquerin tried to place him in vain.

"What are you trying to put over me?" he asked at last. Then, as the man stared at a chair, "You can sit if you want to." And as the man wearily sat, "What are you telling me about money?"

"Listen, Monsieur. My name's Lourdé. Emile Lourdé. Now you know who I am."

"Indeed, I don't," said M. Mouquerin.

The man seemed surprised and a trifle vexed.

"The newspapers had enough to say about me at one time," grinned the man. "I suppose, though, I'm forgotten. But at one time I worked for Dumoulin, who made motors. I was in the office, and had the handling of large sums of money. And then—then—my expenditure exceeded my salary, and—and I got into a devil of a mess."

"You should have done as I did," said M. Mouquerin. "Lived well within your income and saved."

The man feebly grinned. "Every fifteen days I was sent to the bank to get the money to pay the hands. I was usually accompanied by old Marecat, the head of the office. To make a long story short, one of those pay-days, when old Marecat happened to be carrying the money, I laid him out in a quiet street and got away with more than four hundred thousand francs in notes."

"I seem to remember something about it now," said Mr. Mouquerin. Lourdé went on to say that eight days later detectives found him in a shabby hotel in Vaugard, where he had hidden. They searched him, and found notes for 12,000 francs. When they asked him about the rest of the money he had told them any old story. As he had stood in the dock he had thought he would get off with two years' imprisonment, and then live comfortably on the money he had hidden. But the jury had taken a serious view of his crime, doubtless from jealousy on account of the notes he had probably concealed, with the result that he had been sentenced to eight years' imprisonment.

"Serve you right," commented M. Mouquerin virtuously.

Lourdé was silent until he touched his throat, and declared he was thirsty. After some moments of silence, M. Mouquerin shrugged his shoulders, as though to rid himself of a prejudice. Then he asked his wife to fetch some beer. He was feeling thirsty himself.

"Good health to you both!" said Lourdé before draining the glass. Mouquerin mumbled to himself, but his wife deemed it unnecessary to reply to the toast of a criminal.

"That went down fine," said Lourdé, after putting the glass on the table. Then he regarded his hosts with the false geniality of a cardsharp. M. Mouquerin, a fine figure of a man, with crisp grey hair, wore the sulky expression of the retired shopkeeper whose mouth is resting after a lifetime of smiling at customers. With the thin mouth of a miser, and her evil little eyes, his wife suggested an old bird of prey. Indeed, they seemed pretty tough customers to deal with.

"Eight years in the hulks meant doubling my sentence," grumbled Lourdé. "And the ghastly time I had in Guiana with men dying like flies, and all the warders against me! I tell you I was mad with rage. It seemed that I had been robbed. After all that, I lived for some months in Venezuela, and then came back to France, in suite of the risk of being re-arrested for being here...."

"Does all this mean that you have hidden the money you stole in our garden?" asked Mme. Mouquerin. She could not withhold the greed in her eyes.

"In a sense, as at that time your garden was forest. There wasn't any houses near."

"True enough," cried M. Mouquerin, who could not forget the work he had put into the uncultivated soil.

"I thought it a fine place to bury my money, with Paris so far away as it was then. I knew the place well, as I had played there when a child. I packed up the notes in envelopes, placed them in linen envelopes, then packed the lot in a box; put this in another box; and last of all placed this in a metal box. Sort of first-class funeral.... Anyway, I'm certain, if I can find the box, the notes will be as fresh as when I had them away."

"You are certain you hid the box in what is now my garden?" inquired M. Mouquerin.

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When shampooing bleached hair, it sometimes becomes sticky. Use very cool water and work the shampoo into a lather quickly, and you will have no bother at all.

SUMMER SEASON MODES

Paris. DILKUSHA'S mid-season fashion show has as highlights a finger-tip length beach slicker, with hood and swaggar back; swim suits and dresses of crinkly linen elastic fabric; and evening dresses of organdy that has a moire pattern in it.

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TAILORED LINEN MODELS.

Paris. SOME dresses are quite frankly made of cotton—muslins soft or stiffened, linens plain or printed, cotton nets, cotton voiles.

They are as simple in style as they are in fabric, but the muslin ones in particular are charming, with their drooping bodices, full flounced skirts, and broad sashes tied in huge bows at the back.

The linen models are more "tailored" in style, with trimly moulded skirts, plain bodices, and quite wide shoulder straps. Nets and voiles must necessarily be made up in rather fluffy fashion, and again you get the frills and flounces, and the charmingly demure corsage of Victorian inspiration.

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London. ALTHOUGH Wimbledon has raised the problem of shorts or no shorts, the smart tennis two-piece will still be the favourite choice of the majority of players.

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LONG SLEEVES FOR SUMMER EVENINGS

Paris. THE super-chic evening dress, seen at the opening of a famous restaurant the other night, consisted of a long, slinky black satin skirt and a long-sleeved silver cloth Directoire jacket-blouse. Lots of women are wearing long sleeves these summer evenings.

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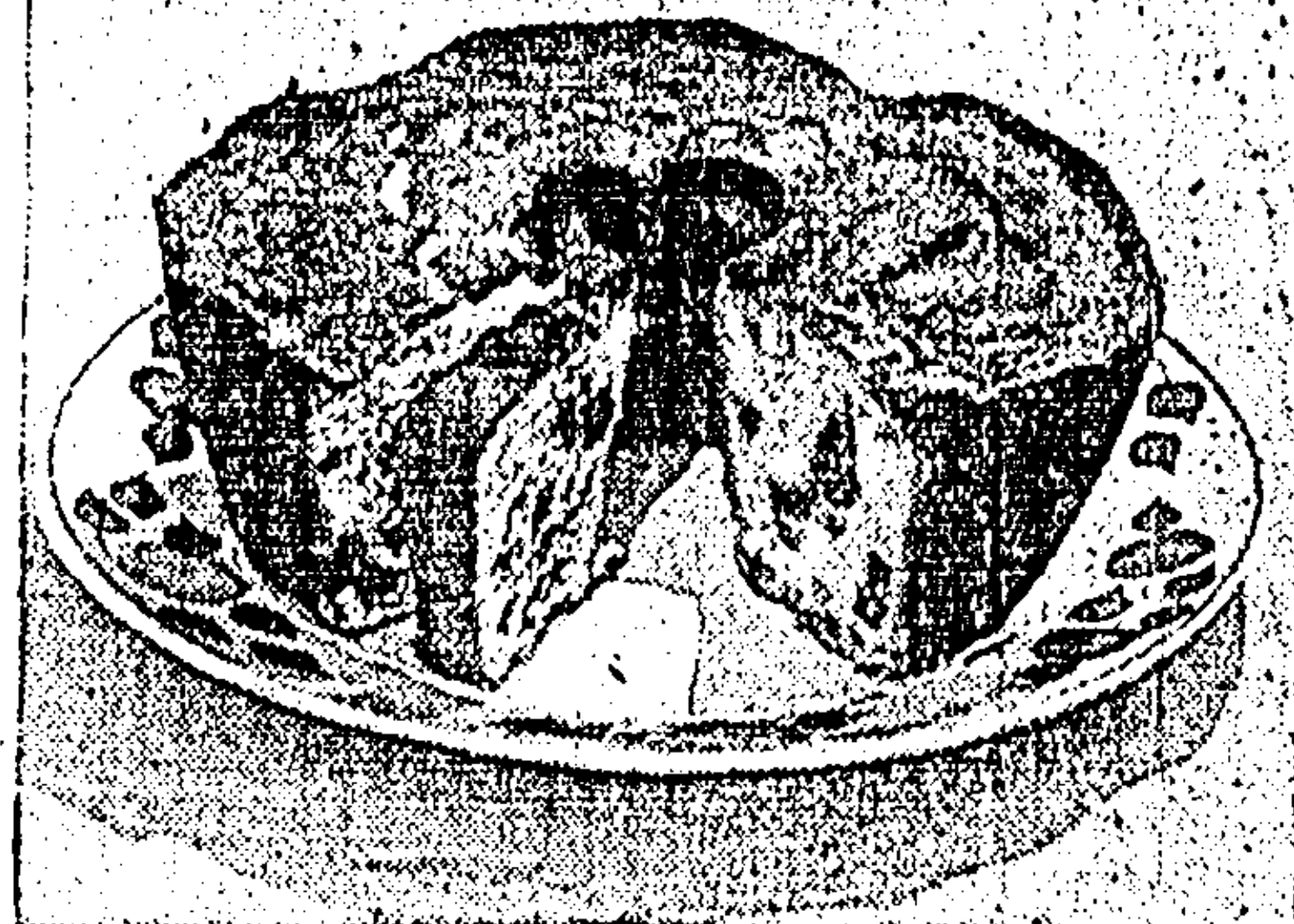
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BOWLING GREEN'S NARROW WIN OVER CIVIL SERVICE AT VALLEY

LAWRENCE FAILS

NO RECORD SHATTERED AT THE V.R.C.

MRS. MEAD CAUSES SENSATION.

INFANTRY WIN VOLUNTEER AQUATIC TITLE

Showing an all-round superiority, the Portuguese Company, under the new classification as the Infantry Unit, retained the swimming championship of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps at the annual aquatic sports meeting at the V.R.C. last night, winning all three races and scoring 14 points—three points ahead of their nearest rivals.

The Mobile M. G. Unit and the Static M. G. Unit were engaged in a titanic struggle throughout the evening for second place, which resulted in a tie, each securing 11 points. The Small Units were hopelessly outclassed, recording only one point. W. Lawrence made a splendid, but unsuccessful, attempt on the Colony's record for the 100 yards, missing the mark by 2/5 secs. He covered the distance in 59 3/5 secs.

A. A. da Roza, only a junior swimmer last season, swam magnificently to challenge the champion throughout, losing by a small margin. His time of 60 seconds is the second best recorded this season, and 1 2/5 seconds improvement on his time at the last V.R.C. gala.

Lady Champion
Mrs. L. Mead caused a sensation by winning the Ladies' 50 Yards Free Style event in 31 seconds, equalling the time recorded by Mrs. J. MacMahon, who is not in the Colony at present.

The programme opened with a thrilling six-a-side team race. The Static M. G. Unit demonstrated their challenge by taking an early lead through A. G. Donn, but L. Soares, in a fine effort, reduced the lead, and, after B. Gosano had given the Infantry the lead, E. B. de Roza further strengthened the position, and, L. T. Paget made a wonderful effort over the last lap for the Mobile, reducing much of the Static M. G. unit's lead for second place.

The Infantry won by a good five yards, with the same distance separating the Static and Mobile Units.

Ladies' Race
Mrs. Mead won the first heat for Ladies' race with a fine burst of speed. She was unchallenged throughout, and neither Mrs. Read nor Miss A. Fowler could make any impression on her. Mrs. Mead swims a strong crawl stroke and is expected to improve on her time in later races. Miss A. Fowler beat Mrs. Read by a touch for second place.

Mrs. Shreuder and Miss D. Hunt fought out an even duel in the second heat. Miss Hunt had a slight lead over the first length, but Mrs. Shreuder showed better finish and got home by a touch.

In the final, Mrs. Mead, although recording a slightly slower time than in the heats, spurred on to the second length to win comfortably. Miss D. Hunt again lacked a strong



On Thursday the Chinese Recreation Club defeated the Club de Recreio by 7 sets to 2 in the deciding "B" Division Lawn Tennis League match of the season. The C.R.C. have now held the title on eleven successive occasions. (King's Studio).

finish, and Mrs. Shreuder overtook her to take second place.

Men's 100 Yards
Only three lined up for the invitation 100 yards race. Contrary to expectations, Lawrence did not have his own way in this race, but was seriously challenged by A. A. da Roza. Ozorio kept up well with him, but dropped behind after the second length. Lawrence gained a slight lead on the third length, but, missing his push off, he was held by



W. Lawrence

handicapped over the last lap. He beat Roza by little more than a touch.

High Diving
The Infantry diving team, Edward Roza, many times champion of the Colony, his brother, L. Roza, and L. Roza-Pereira, proved far superior, individually. They gained 84 1/2 points out of a possible 90. C. B. Robertson and J. Sloan (Mobile Unit) were the next best individual performers.

Medley Race
In the four styles Medley race, the Infantry Unit again asserted their superiority and were unchallenged from the start. Lionel Roza-Pereira, the V.R.C. backstroke champion, secured a small lead, which was maintained by B. Gosano, despite a good effort by S. V. Gittins. E. M. Marques, the Club breast-stroke champion, increased the lead for E. B. da Roza, the V.R.C. 50 Yards champion, to win easily.

The Static M. G. Unit. The Small Units were a poor fourth.

Mobile Unit Win Polo
The Mobile Unit won water polo event in convincing manner by 5 goals to 0. The Static Unit's goalkeeper was very poor, failing to cope with the effective shooting of L. T. Paget and G. Fowler.

The goal scorers were G. Fowler (2), L. T. Paget, C. Aris and J. Sloan.

The Results
The following were the results:
300 Yards Team Race (teams of 6 men over 50 yards each):—
1. Infantry Unit. (L. Roza-Pereira, E. B. da Roza, B. Gosano, F. M. Silva, L. A. de V. Soares and J. Sousa).
2. Static M.G. Unit. (E. F. Selk, A. G. Donn, A. D. Lawson, S. V. Gittins, J. Anslow and F. Dunnnett).
3. Mobile M.G. Unit. (J. Sloan, J. P. Whitham, L. G. Robertson and J. H. Bradford).
Time: 2 mins. 54 secs.

50 Yards Ladies' Invitation Race:
Heat 1—
1. Mrs. L. Mead
Time: 31 secs.
2. Miss A. Fowler
Time: 37.25 secs.

Also swam, Mrs. M. Read and Miss J. Weller.

Heat 2—
1. Mrs. W. Shreuder
Time: 33.35 secs.
2. Miss D. Hunt
Time: 33.45 secs.

Also swam, Miss P. George and Miss W. George.

Final—
1. Mrs. L. Mead
Time: 31.25 secs.
2. Mrs. W. Shreuder
Time: 32.25 secs.

3. Miss D. Hunt
Time: 37.25 secs.

100 Yards Mens Invitation Race:
1. W. Lawrence
Time: 59.35 secs.
2. A. A. da Roza
Time: 60 secs.

Also swam, H. Ozorio

High Diving (Teams of 3):
1. Infantry Unit. (L. Roza-Pereira, Edward Roza and L. Roza)
84 1/2 out of possible 90 pts.
2. Mobile M.G. Unit. (J. P. Whitham, L. G. Robertson and J. Sloan) with 75 1/2 pts.
3. Static M.G. Unit. (E. F. Selk, A. D. Lawson and F. Dunnnett) with 60 pts.

Pillow Fight:
Winner—L. A. de V. Soares
Second—H. Millington
Soares beat A. D. Lawson, beat G. Moss, beat H. Millington.
Millington received walk over from Aris, L. T. Paget and G. H. Fowler.

LINCOLNS AQUATIC MEETING

LOCKETT GIVES NO. 4 PLATOON VICTORY IN COMPANY CHAMPIONSHIP

Extra Race To Determine Championship.

NO. 4 Platoon won the "A" Company Lincolnshire Regiment swimming sports at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon, beating No. 2 Platoon by the narrow margin of 23 points to 22.

The result was decided on a 50 Yards Free Style race after both teams had finished on level terms. In an exciting race Pte. Lockett beat Cpl. Chicken by a touch to give No. 4 the supremacy.

Lockett, Chicken, and Cpl. Fleat (No. 2), who won the Long Plunge by four feet, were the outstanding competitors.

Results were as follows:

Inter-Platoon Relay Race (25, 50, 50, 45 yds.):—
1. No. 1 Platoon; 2. No. 4 Platoon.
Time: 1 min. 44 secs.

Diving (Teams of two men):—
1. No. 2 Platoon; 2. No. 4 Platoon;
3. No. 3 Platoon; 4. No. 1 Platoon.
Time: 1 min. 44 secs.

150 Yards Free Style:—
1. No. 2 Platoon; 2. No. 4 Platoon;
3. No. 3 Platoon; 4. No. 1 Platoon.
Time: 2 mins. 7 secs.

Long Plunge:—
1. No. 2 Platoon; 2. No. 4 Platoon;
3. No. 1 Platoon; 4. No. 3 Platoon.
Distance: 38 ft. 3 inches.

25 Yards Dash:—
1. No. 4 Platoon; 2. No. 2 Platoon;
3. No. 3 Platoon; 4. No. 1 Platoon.
Time: 14.45 secs.

50 Yards Free Style (Deciding the championship):—
1. No. 4 Platoon; 2. No. 2 Platoon;
3. No. 1 Platoon; 4. No. 3 Platoon.
Time: 15 mins. 10 1/2 secs.

FINAL POINTS
1. No. 4 Platoon 23 pts.
2. No. 2 Platoon 22 pts.
No. 1 Platoon 10 pts.
No. 3 Platoon 10 pts.

CROSS-THE-RIVER SWIM.

Canton 3,300 Metres Event Next Month.

The third cross-the-river swim will be held by the South China Athletic Association, Canton, at the end of next month. The part of the Pearl River, where the swimming will take place, is estimated at over 3,300 metres.

The first cross-the-river swim was won by Chan Kit-tsang, of the Hong Kong South China Athletic Association, and the second was won by Lo Kit-shing.

H. Shields, beat F. Dunnnett, lost to Soares.

100 Yards Medley Relay (Four Styles)
1. Infantry Unit. (L. Roza-Pereira, E. B. da Roza, E. M. Marques and B. Gosano) Time: 67 secs.
2. Static M.G. Unit. (E. F. Selk, R. J. Simpson, S. V. Gittins and A. G. Donn) Time: 61 secs.
3. Mobile M.G. Unit. (G. H. Fowler, W. Stoker, L. T. Paget and J. Sloan)
4. Small Units. (H. Millington, G. Gamble, H. Dinnen and J. Watson)

Inter-Unit Water Polo (Final):
Mobile M. G. Unit beat Static M. G. Unit by 5 goals to 0.

The Mobile M. G. Unit beat Infantry Unit in the heats by 1-0, while Static M. G. Unit had a walk over from Small Units.

Static M. G. Unit (E. F. Selk, A. G. Donn, A. D. Lawson, R. Meadows, D. C. Sullivan, S. V. Gittins and J. W. Pote-Hunt).

Mobile M. G. Unit (S. Fowler, W. Stoker, J. Sloan, J. P. Whittham, C. Stoker, J. Sloan, J. P. Whittham, C. Stoker, J. Sloan, J. P. Whittham).

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DECIDING FIVE ON LAST HEAD OF MATCH

DRAKE'S RINK GIVE 1933 CHAMPIONS WIN

CRAIGENGOWER KEEP PACE

WINNING on two of the three rinks, the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, senior lawn bowls league champions, beat the Civil Service by 3 shots as the result of a "5" on the last head by W. S. Drake's rink. This represented the Valley Club's first home defeat of the season.

On a day which saw five matches abandoned owing to rain, Craigengower "A" kept pace with the champions by beating Tai-koo Docks by 48 shots at the Valley! Craigengower juniors, 1933 winners, also won, beating the Electricians at Ming Yuen.

The Police, who are giving the Indians a thrilling struggle for the junior championship, fulfilled expectations by beating the footballers by a comfortable margin.

THREE RINKS SCORED "6" SHOTS — U. M. OMAR'S C. C. C. "A" FOUR, A. BROOKSBANK'S FOOTBALL CLUB RINK, AND A. F. PAUL'S ELECTRIC FOUR.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS IN BRIEF.

SENIOR DIVISION
CIVIL SERVICE (62) 54 KOWLOON B.C.C. (46) 57
CRAIGENGOWER "A" (82) 87 TAIKOO DOCKS (38) 39

JUNIOR DIVISION
H. K. ELECTRIC (64) 52 CRAIGENGOWER (64) 54
FOOTBALL CLUB (—) 52 POLICE R. C. (—) 71

LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE.

Senior Division.

	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Up	D.	Pts.
KOWLOON B.C.C.	11	10	1	700	563	137	0	20
CRAIGENGOWER "A"	11	9	2	778	539	239	0	18
CIVIL SERVICE	10	5	5	592	551	41	0	10
CLUB DE RECREIO	9	5	4	504	515	0	11	10
TAIKOO DOCKS	10	4	6	556	523	72	0	8
CRAIGENGOWER "B"	9	2	7	466	534	0	68	4
POLICE R.C.	9	2	7	513	601	0	88	4
KOWLOON DOCKS	8	2	6	414	530	0	116	4

Junior Division.

	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Up	D.	Pts.
INDIAN R.C.	10	9	1	653	524	129	0	18
KOWLOON B.C.C.	11	8	3	708	592	108	0	16
POLICE R.C.	11	7	4	680	630	44	0	14
YACHT CLUB	9	5	4	534	478	56	0	10
CIVIL SERVICE	9	5	4	503	491	17	0	10
H. K. ELECTRIC	11	5	6	644	637	7	0	10
CLUB DE RECREIO	10	5	5	572	577	0	1	10
KOWLOON C.C.	11	5	6	619	619	0	0	10
CRAIGENGOWER	11	3	8	573	712	0	139	6
FOOTBALL CLUB	11	1	10	358	725	0	169	2

First Division

BOWLING GREEN TRIUMPH.

Civil Service Beaten On Own Green.

At Happy Valley yesterday, the Kowloon Bowling Green Club defeated the Civil Service Cricket Club by 3 shots.

Scores:—
C.S.C.C. K.B.G.C.
P. E. Knight P. J. Farrell
S. Alderman J. S. Logan
S. Eccleshall C. B. Hosking
J. W. Denkin W. Macfarlane
(Skip) 18 (Skip) 14

T. Armstrong J. Watson
L. R. Whant A. S. Russell
A. W. Grimmitt J. H. Budding
J. Hollidge L. Guy
(Skip) 16 (Skip) 20

E. W. Simmonds R. Duncan
C. Strange H. F. Stoneham
A. O. Brawn S. Randle
F. J. Jones W. S. Drake
(Skip) 20 (Skip) 23

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CRAIGENGOWER NOT EXTENDED.

Taikoo Badly Trounced By 48 Shots.

At Happy Valley yesterday the Craigengower Cricket Club "A" defeated the Tai-koo Docks Recreation Club by 48 shots.

Scores:—
C.C.C. "A" Tai-koo
J. S. Landolt A. W. Norrie
A. A. Razack W. Pollack
E. el Arculli D. Munro
R. Bana N. Drummond
(Skip) 29 (Skip) 9

G. L. Buchanan C. H. Summers
A. S. Gomes J. J. Whyte
H. Beer T. Stainton
U. M. Omar R. C. Wallace
(Skip) 33 (Skip) 14

A. E. Coates C. B. Mathews
W. V. Field D. B. Bone
D. Rumjahn R. M. Keown
B. W. Bradbury J. C. Chalmers
(Skip) 25 (Skip) 87

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ABANDONED MATCHES

The following matches were abandoned owing to rain.

Senior Division
Kowloon C.C. v Kowloon Docks
Recreio v Craigengower "B"

Junior Division
Yacht Club v Recreio
Kowloon B.C.C. v Civil Service
Indian R.C. v Kowloon C.C.

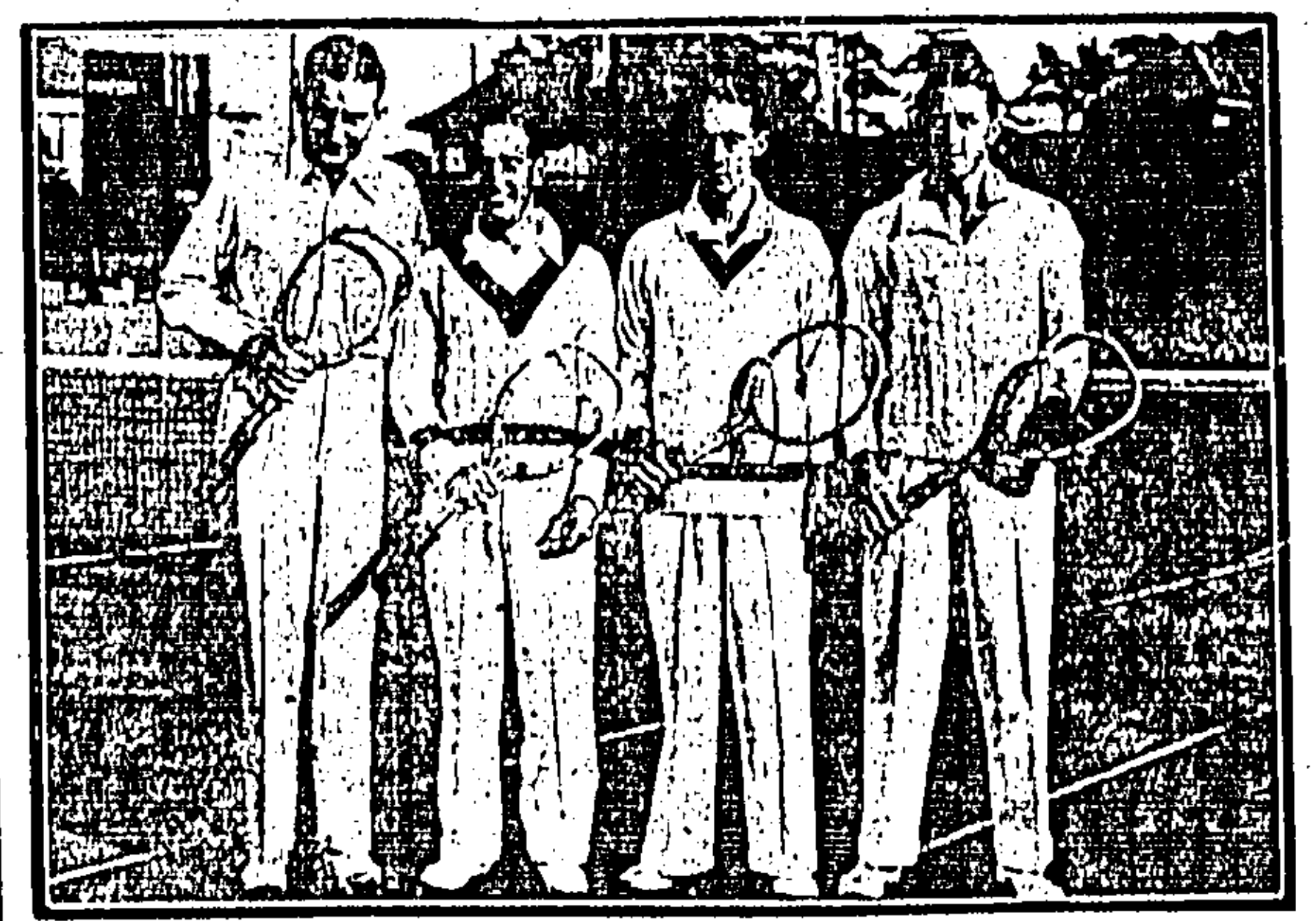
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The Australian Davis Cup team who led America by 2 matches to nil and were then beaten 3-2 in the Inter-Zone Final. Left to right: Jack Crawford (captain), Adrian Quist, Vian, McGrath, and Don Turnbull.

PORTUGAL MAY MAKE SKIP CHANGE

SILVA OR LUZ FOR TO-DAY.

INTERNATIONAL MATCHES

It is possible that C. G. Silva will skip Portugal's quartette in place of R. F. Luz against Scotland, the holders, in the First Round of the International Lawn Bowls Tournament this afternoon on the Kowloon C.C. green.

Silva has a very fine record this season, and, as J. E. Noronha and H. A. S. Alves are members of his usual Club de Recreio rink, he is thought to have an advantage over Luz, who now plays for Craigengower.

Scotland will be skipped by J. C. Brown, who is one of the favourites for the Bowls championship title this season.

The other First Round match this afternoon will be between Wales, skipped by F. J. Jones, the consistent Civil Service C. C. player, and India, skipped by the redoubtable U. M. Omar, of the Craigengower C.C.

Six other nations have drawn a bye into the Second Round.

The following are the teams for to-day:

PORTUGAL v SCOTLAND
(At K.C.C. 4 p.m.)
J. E. Noronha A. Chapman
H. A. S. Alves J. S. Logan
C. G. Silva W. Macfarlane
R. F. Luz J. C. Brown

(Skip) (Skip)
Portugal Reserves—L. A. Gutierrez (No. 1 or 2) and F. V. V. Ribeiro (No. 3 or skip)

Scotland Reserves—J. Chalmers (No. 1 or 2) and J. McKelvie (No. 3 or skip).

WALES v INDIA
(On Philipines 4 p.m.)
W. Phelps K. M. Omar
A. Channings A. A. Razack
R. R. Davies D. Rumjahn
F. J. Jones U. M. Omar

(Skip) (Skip)
A. M. Omar is the Indian reserve. The other nations will be represented by the following:

Switzerland—J. S. Landolt, E. G. G. Kerr and C. S. Rossett (skip)
Philippines—Dr. V. N. Atienza, M. J. Medina, A. E. Contes, and R. Bana (skip).

Australia—G. Lee, W. K. Way, E. C. Fincher and W. H. B. Musket
Malaya—A. Baker, M. Y. Adal, A. M. Wahab and A. E. Dalish (skip).

Ireland—P. O. Dunne, J. F. Lunny, W. V. Field and J. Cavanagh (skip).
Res: H. L. Lockhart.

England—E. G. Post, H. Beer, A. W. Grimmitt and B. W. Bradbury (skip). Res: E. W. Simmonds (No. 1 or 2), R. P. Phillips (No. 3 or skip).

SECOND ROUND DRAW
The following is the draw for the Second Round, which will be played next Sunday:

Philippines v Switzerland
India or Wales v Ireland
Malaya v England
Australia v Portugal or Scotland

It is hoped to play all the matches on the Craigengower C.C. green, but it is possible that one may have to be played on the Police R.C. green.

SWIMMING SPORTS FOR JOURNALISTS.

Arrangements In Hand For Meet Next Month.

Arrangements by the Chung Shing Benevolent Society are now in hand for the joint Hong Kong-Canton-Macao Chinese Journalists' aquatic meeting, to be held on August 11 and 12 at the Society's bathing beach, Kennedy Town.

It is anticipated that keen interest will be shown in the meeting. Well-known local companies will donate the prizes.

CYCLING POPULARITY INCREASING

In Hong Kong as in England and elsewhere, there has recently been an increasing interest taken in cycling, both as a competitive sport and as a recreation.

The activities of the Hong Kong Cycling Club every week have aroused particular interest, and with a winter programme of racing and record attempts, as well as Club runs, now is the time for those who contemplate taking up the pastime to consider the type of machine they require, according to the type of cycling they intend to follow.

In England there has, of recent years, been an ever-growing tendency to forsake the heavy roadster type of machine, with its 25 inch frame, 25 inch wheels, steel mudguards, and heavy accessories, for the lightweight bicycle, which is adaptable to both touring and racing.

It is rare now to see an enthusiastic cyclist riding a machine with a frame larger than 22 inches, while the latest devices, which have increased the speed of the racing man, have gone far towards lightening the load of the tourist.

Machine to Choose
In Hong Kong, where roads generally are first-class, a really light machine can be used with perfect safety, and the tourist or Club member who pushes round more than from 25 to 30 lbs. of bicycle is giving himself unnecessary labour.

The cyclist buying his first light machine frequently makes the grave mistake of indulging in too deeply dropped handlebars, upsetting his balance, and giving himself unnecessary wrist aches and indigestion. A very shallow drop in the bars, if at all, should be tried, with the weight evenly balanced between the saddle and the bar. A wide bar is best for experienced members of the Club.

Gradual training is to be advocated in the art of distance cycling, and the prospective Club-member would be advised to cycle solo for a few weeks, until he has developed the speed and stamina to keep up with the more experienced members of the Club.

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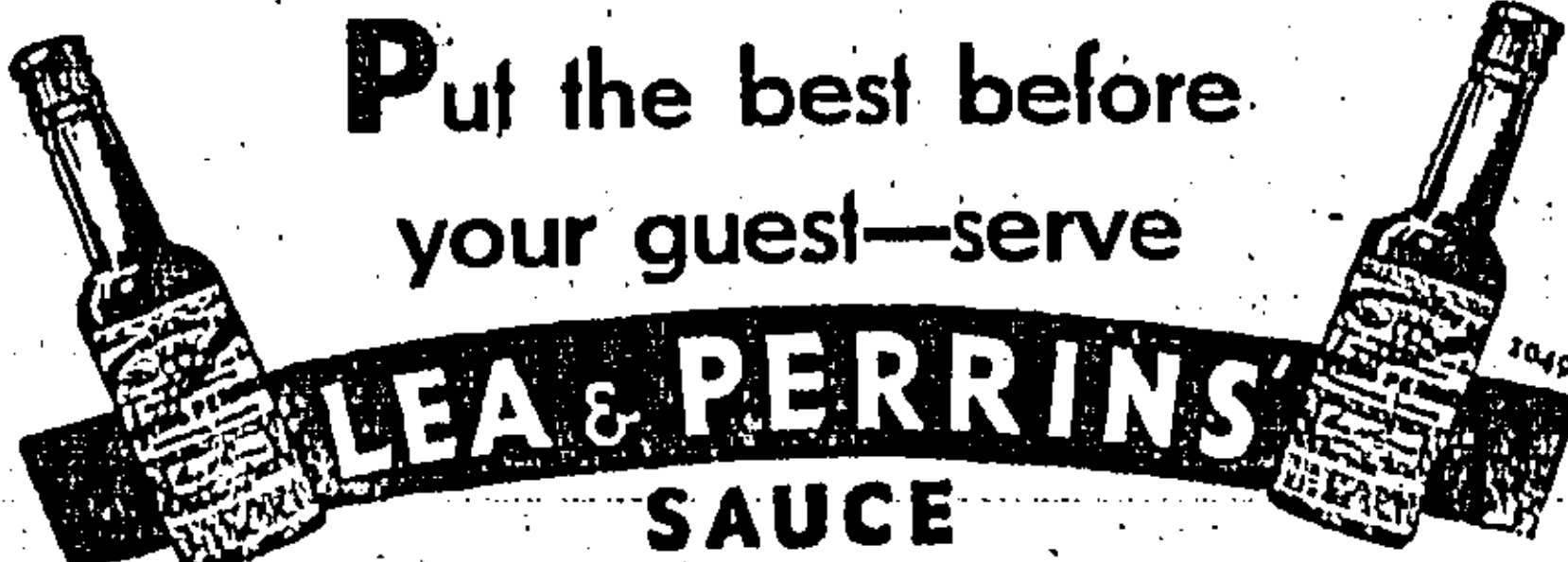


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POLLARD'S FINE PERFORMANCE

LONDON, YESTERDAY.

SUSSEX, UNDEFEATED CHAMPIONS OF THE SOUTH, MET WITH A REVERSE AT THE HANDS OF THEIR NEIGHBOURS, KENT, YESTERDAY, AND THE LOSS OF 12 POINTS SAW LANCASHIRE, NEAREST NORTHERN CHALLENGERS, CREEP CLOSER IN WHAT PROMISES TO BE AS THRILLING A FIGHT FOR THE COUNTY CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIP AS HAS BEEN WITNESSED IN THE LONG SERIES. PLACED SECOND IN THE FINAL STANDINGS LAST YEAR, SUSSEX, UNDER THE CAPTAINCY OF R. S. G. SCOTT, THE FAST BOWLER, ARE ATTEMPTING TO BRING THE CHAMPIONSHIP SOUTH FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 1921 WHEN MIDDLESEX WERE THE CHAMPIONS.

Perhaps the most outstanding feature of the mid-week matches was the fine form shown by England's Test players. Here is what they did:

LANGRIDGE (JAS.) 130 v KENT

R. E. S. WYATT 104 v PLAYERS.

LEYLAND 80 v GENTLEMEN

C. F. WALTERS 79 v PLAYERS

AMES 76 v GENTLEMEN

SUTCLIFFE 65 v GENTLEMEN

G. O. ALLEN 63 v PLAYERS

BOWES 7 FOR 85 v WORCESTER

MITCHELL 4 FOR 94 v GENTLEMEN

The fact that G. O. Allen, James Langridge and Sutcliffe, all three of whom reported unfit for the fourth Test, have recovered from their injuries and struck good form immediately is a happy augury for England in view of the final Test at the Oval, which commences on August 18.

Northants were unfortunate not to be able to force a win over Essex at Clacton, and had any one else, but Matthews, scored a century they might quite easily have done so. The fast bowler, hit the second century of his career, but failed to come off with the ball. He secured nine of the Australian wickets when the tourists visited Northampton.

Fleetwood Smith, one of the mystery bowlers of the Australian team who may be one of the tricks out of Woodfull's bag for the Oval Test, helped himself to wickets on Thursday and Friday, securing 13 for 66 as the result of two innings in the "holiday" programme for the tourists.

Pollard, who secured 6 for 21 against Gloucester, is a re-litton of the late Yorkshire player.

Bowling a fast medium ball, he was only given one trial by Lancashire last season, and in that match secured Arthur Carr's wicket for 36 runs. Pollard was second in the Lancashire Minor County averages last season.

The Gentlemen avenged their defeat of July 14 at the Oval by a meritorious win by 7 wickets when set 232 to win at Lord's yesterday. Of the 232 matches which have taken place between the Gentlemen and the Players, the former have won 63 and the latter 103; one ended in a tie, and 66 have remained unfinished. The match dates back to 1806.

Scores, as cabled by Reuter, were:

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

At Bournemouth, Hampshire secured first innings points from Somerset.
Hampshire: 338 (R. H. Moore 159, Jack Leo 7 for 141).
Somerset: 170 and 280 for 5 (J. C. White 94).
At Ilkeston, Derbyshire secured first innings points from Surrey.
Surrey: 275 and 176.
Derby: 293 (Smith 125) and 76 for 1.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	Wt	1st Inns.	No	Pts.	Pts.
							Result	Poss.
Sussex (2)	21	11	0	5	4	1	315	206
Lancashire (5)	21	9	3	6	3	0	315	174
Yorkshire (1)	20	10	4	2	2	2	300	169
Kent (3)	21	8	5	5	3	0	315	154
Derby (6)	20	8	4	4	3	1	300	143
Notts (8)	19	7	4	5	3	0	285	139
Warwick (7)	19	7	4	3	3	2	285	137
Essex (4)	22	6	5	2	8	1	330	128
Gloucester (19)	22	8	10	1	2	1	330	127
Middlesex (12)	18	6	6	4	1	2	270	100
Surrey (9)	18	4	5	5	2	0	240	91
Glamorgan (16)	18	3	6	4	3	2	270	82
Worcester (15)	18	3	7	2	6	0	270	73
Hampshire (14)	19	2	8	7	2	0	255	71
Somerset (11)	17	3	7	0	7	0	255	63
Leicester (17)	16	3	7	1	5	0	240	55
Northants (13)	18	1	14	2	1	0	270	28

Figures in brackets denote positions held at conclusion of last season.

Sunday Herald.
Sports Diary

TO-DAY

Golf—Completion of Fourth Round Happy Valley Summer Foursomes, Lawn Bowls—International Shield:—Portugal v. Scotland (K.C.C. green)

Wales v. India (P.R.C. green, 4 p.m.)
Rink Championship (Semi-Final)
E. G. Post, F. H. W. Haynes, J. J. Gregory and W. E. Hollands v. W. Forrest, A. E. Carey, W. Mahr and G. C. Moss.

(Recrelo 4 p.m.)

TO-MORROW

Lawn Bowls—Pairs Championship:—W. K. Way and A. S. Gomes v. A. Chapman and J. Fraser (Recrelo green, 5 p.m.)

Singles Championship:—A. O. Brown v. T. F. Stinton (P.R.C. green)
J. K. Sloan v. T. Armstrong (C.C.C. green, 5.15 p.m.)
TUESDAY—July 31.

Lawn Bowls—Pairs Championship:—F. J. Jones and A. W. Grimmit v. B. W. Bradbury and U. M. Omar (P.R.C. green, 5 p.m.)

Meetings:—Hong Kong Hockey Association Annual Meeting (St. Andrew's Church Hall, 5.30 p.m.)
WEDNESDAY—Aug. 1

Football:—Entries close for local Leagues
THURSDAY

Lawn Bowls—Open Singles
G. Perkins v. A. Chapman (C.C.C.)

Open Rings—Semi-Final.
R. F. Luz, B. W. Bradbury, H. Beer, and U. M. Omar v. E. W. Simmonds, J. W. Deakin, F. J. Jones, and A. W. Grimmit (Police).

FRIDAY

Meetings:—Hong Kong Football Club, 4.45 p.m.
Lawn Bowls—Open Singles.
R. Bosa v. G. C. Moss (C.S.C.C.)

E. G. Post v. V. Petherick (Recrelo).
H. A. S. Alves v. R. Duncan (K.C.C.)

SUNDAY.

Bowls International:—Philippines v. Switzerland
India v. Wales v. Ireland
Australia v. Portugal
Malaya v. England
Australia v. Portugal

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The New York Giants, world champions, beat the Philadelphia Phillies by a 6 to 3 tally, Verges hitting a circuit clout for the Giants.

All American League games were washed out by rain, including the double-header fixture between Cleveland Indians and St. Louis Browns.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:—

National League

Philadelphia 3 7 1
John Moore hit a homer.
New York 6 10 1
Verges hit a homer.

St. Louis 0 7 0
Biol Swift pitched
Pittsburgh 4 11 0

League To-date

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	P	W	L	Per.
New York	94	60	34	.637
Chicago	92	58	34	.630
St. Louis	89	52	37	.578
Pittsburgh	85	40	45	.470
Boston	95	44	51	.463
Philadelphia	90	39	51	.433
Brooklyn	90	39	51	.433
Cincinnati	69	30	39	.437

	P	W	L	Per.
New York	89	55	34	.618
Detroit	86	51	35	.593
Cleveland	87	48	39	.552
Boston	89	47	42	.528
St. Louis	82	41	41	.500
Washington	81	48	48	.473
Philadelphia	87	35	52	.402
Chicago	89	30	59	.337

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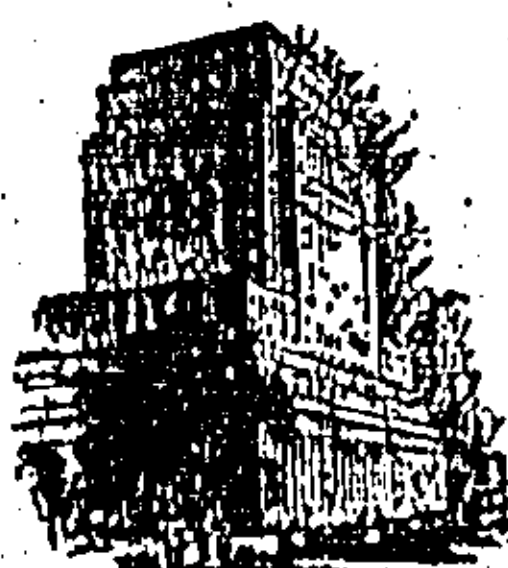
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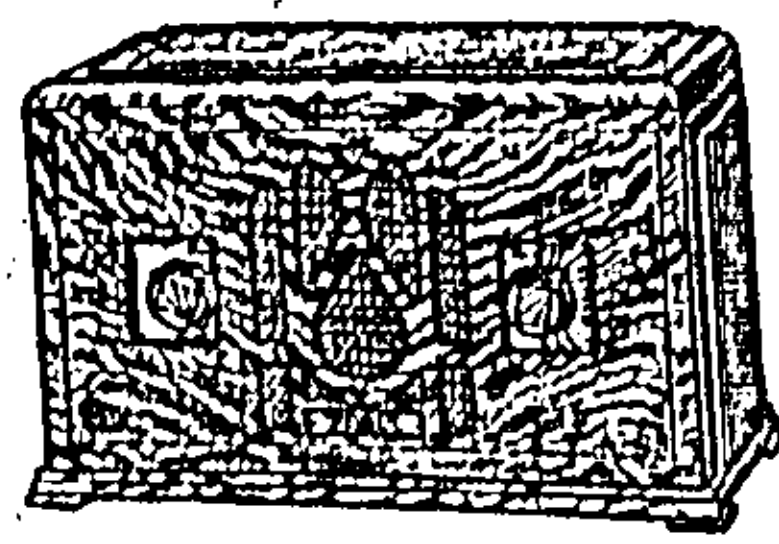
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BRITAIN MUST RE-ARM WISELY

Quality Most Important Factor To-day

Obsolete Weapons Must Go

By MAJOR-GENERAL J. F. C. FULLER

London. WHAT was the object of the Disarmament Conference? Obviously, to reduce armaments and promote peace. And what has been its result? To increase them. This is a fact which cannot be brushed aside, for wherever we look we see armament factories working overtime. In France, Italy, Japan and the U.S.A. tens of millions of pounds have been or are being voted for increase in and modernisation of the fighting services; in the U.S.S.R. the entire country is daily becoming more and more a military camp and Germany, we are told, rightly or wrongly, is approaching her 1914 war-footing. What about ourselves?

A rearmament plague has smitten six out of the seven great Powers. The seventh is ourselves, and though I feel that in a mad world we shall be compelled to rearm, even if only for self-preservation, this is no reason why we should be swept into panic and unnecessarily expensive taxation; so let us face the facts coolly.

There are in this country two schools of thought: those who do not want rearmament at any price and those who want it as quickly as they can get it. As the chances are that this second school will win the day, the crucial question is: How should we rearm? For there must be a right and a wrong way of setting about it.

Two Methods Open
Two methods face us; those of quantity and quality. If money were of no great account we could duplicate and even triplicate the present strengths of our fighting services in comparatively a short time. This is the quantity method of the War, when events moved so quickly that we had little time to think. Yet it was not this method which really added to the strength of our offensive power. It was not the masses of infantry,

cavalry and field artillery which enabled us and our Allies (who did the same thing), to defeat the enemy. Not it was, comparatively speaking, the few tanks, airplanes, flash-spotters, sound-locators, etc., etc., in short the quality weapons and instruments which enabled us to do so.

Though quantity, the leading principle in all rearmament before the advent of scientific warfare, is still important up to a point, it is, above all, quality which to-day gives strength in war; consequently, more and more it is the power of weapons not the gross number which is the crucial factor in present day fighting. A company of modern machine guns on the French side in 1870 would have won for them Sedan; 60,000 may not prevent them being defeated in another war should their enemy rely on tanks; yet in their turn these tanks would fall should this enemy be overwhelmed by air power.

Proportion Problem

This does not mean that rifles, machine guns and tanks are useless and that air power is everything; but what it does mean is that rearmament is an exceedingly complex problem, and not one to be rushed into. First, it is a problem of proportion between the various military operations a nation may be called upon to undertake and the weapons of war best suited to undertake them. Secondly, it is a problem of quality and proportion between quality and quantity. It is, in fact, a highly scientific problem which demands much careful thought and not a little experimentation; for military strength does not reside in any one arm but in a number of arms working in co-operation; it is not the sum but the product of weapon power.

Any nation, if it has the money and resources, can spend ten or twenty million pounds or more on aircraft, tanks, or any other weapon. But

to-day there is no nation which can guarantee that no sooner have the weapons in question been produced than improvements meanwhile will not have rendered them obsolescent. The truth is that to-day all the new and highly scientific weapons are still scarcely out of their cradles, certainly not out of their nurseries. The room for improvement is immense, because science is now the predominant munitions factor, and science never for a moment stands still.

Continuous Improvement

This does not mean that we should stand still and wait for perfection, for perfection is the pursuit of the gods. It means, that as the scientist uses his intelligence in improving weapons, we must use our intelligence in rearming ourselves with them. As the scientist discards anything obsolete or redundant, so must our Admiralty, War Office and Air Ministry do the same. For war we want the best weapons possible, we want quality not quantity; we do not want an armament race but a level pace of continuous improvement.

When, some 30 years ago now, the late Lord Fisher was faced by a similar problem, he did not ask for battleships by the dozen. His maxim was:

"Build few, and build fast,

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Therefore I suggest, that, in the circumstances which face us, we shall be wise if we do the same.

The relative proportions between the various weapons and arms in each Service and between the strengths of the Services themselves is, in our case, an exceedingly difficult problem; for we are a world-wide Empire faced by a large number of strategic and tactical tasks. The centre, these islands, is so close to the rim of the Continental volcano that obviously our security must be considered first. Then we have to think of India; next to our numerous Colonies, and last though not least of co-operation between ourselves and the self-governing Dominions. Our problems are, therefore, numerous and complex; yet, in the end, they all have a common denominator—money.

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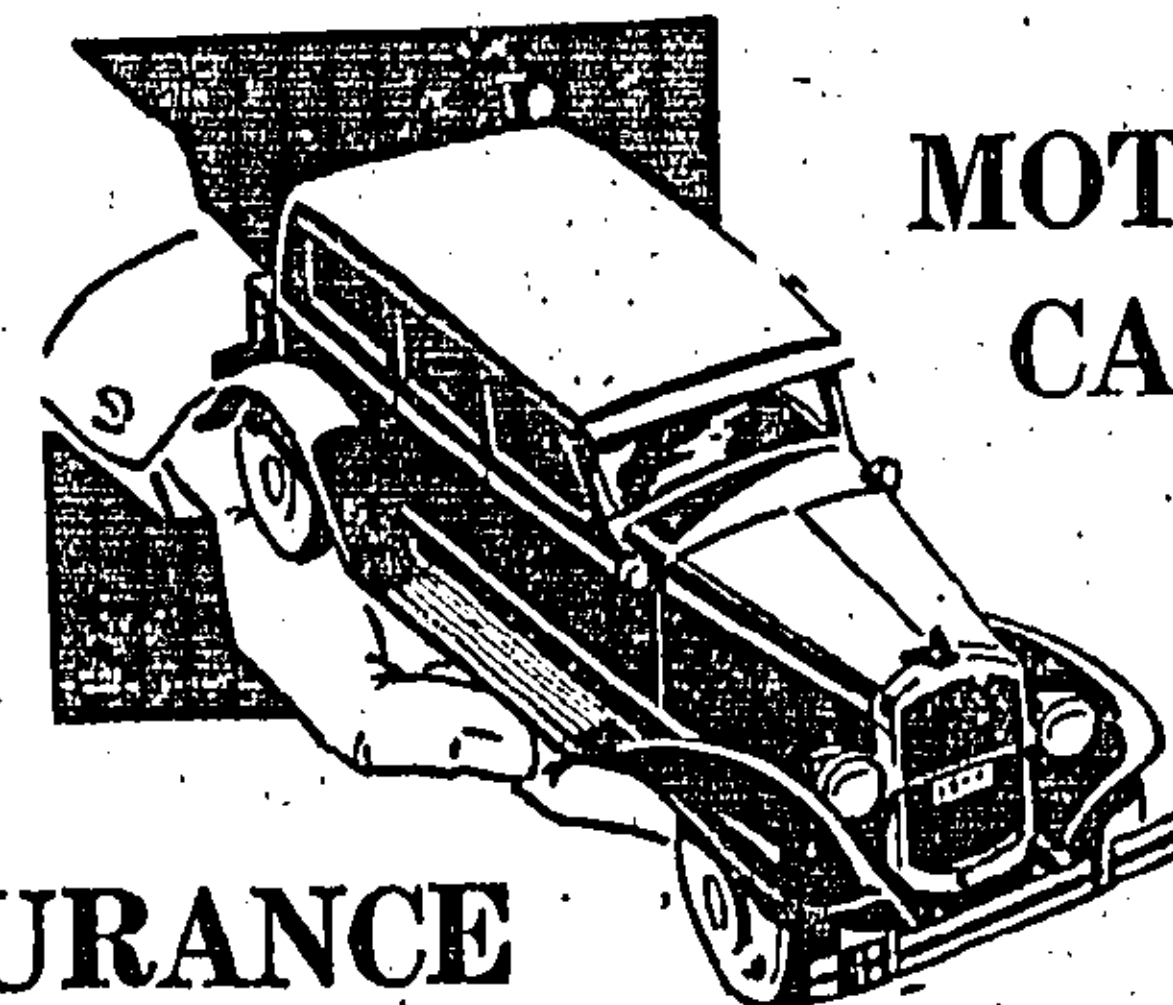
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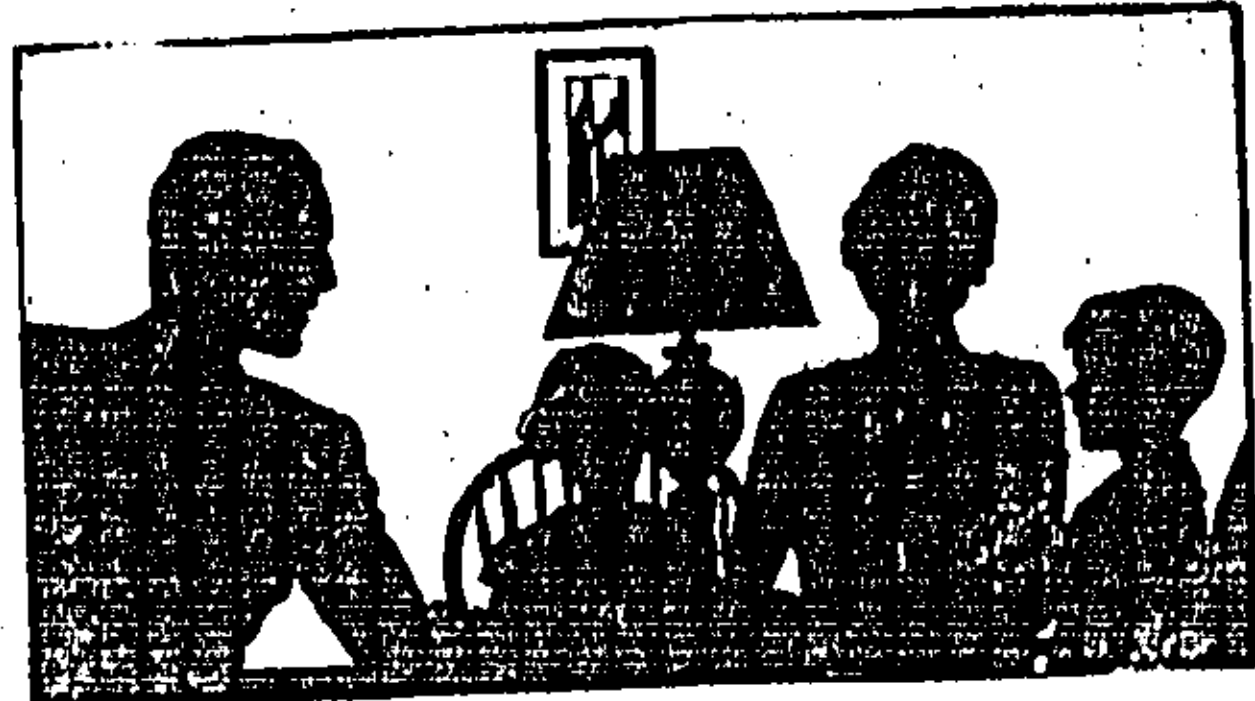
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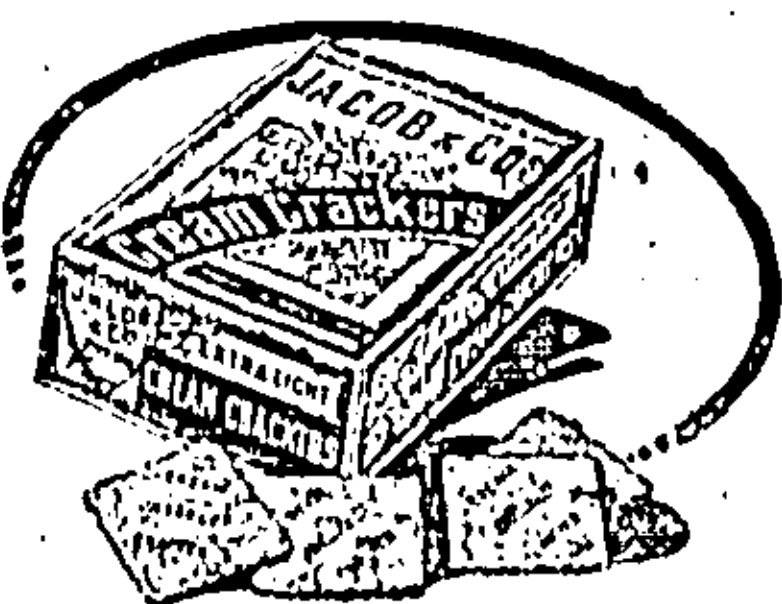
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man, is an architect, and told en-
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MAN EATS SNAKE
IN FURY.Angered At Having
Been Bitten.

Cairo.
When Abdel Ghani Awadallah was
bitten by a snake as he was at work
in his field near Tanta (Lower
Egypt), he was seized with such
fury against the reptile that he
chased it, hit it on the head with a
stone and ate it alive.

He was taken to hospital, suffer-
ing from violent pains, and is now
in a very serious condition.—Reuter.

BRITAIN MUST RE-ARM WISELY

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get money's worth. Taking our
two major problems, Home De-
fence and Imperial Defence, we
must discover as exactly as possible
what they entail.

Had we a Ministry of Defence,
in the form of a strategical brain,
which could examine our three
fighting Services as one fighting
force, I think we should soon be on
the high road to what I will call
proportional rearmament—that is,
what should be the proportions be-
tween weapons and the composi-
tions of our Navy, Army and Air
Force. If to-day they contain use-
less weapons, then out with them;
if too many of a kind, then cut them
down, so that every penny may be
saved and set aside for what we
really want.

With Imperial Defence the solu-
tion is not so simple, because the
Dominions are autonomous. Yet
surely the time is long overdue for
an Imperial Conference to be called
to consider the problem of defence
from the new angle of scientific
warfare? From such a Confer-
ence we shall learn what can and
what cannot be done, and knowing
these things we shall have a
strategical and tactical foundation
to work on. Therefore, as we re-
arm, let us work scientifically, and
so found rearmament on intelli-
gence and common sense.

6. Thus the gentle Chiblabos.
7. And they said "O good Ingo!"
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Dance of the Tumblers ("Snow
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Goliwog's Cake-Walk (Debussy).
The Rustle of Spring (Sinding).
10 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.
10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

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TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be
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9.15-10 a.m.—A Relay of the Mil-
itary Parade Service from St. John's
Cathedral.

Order of Service
Voluntary—Left motif (Bucalossi)
Hymn—"Praise the Lord."
Prayers.
Venite.
Benedictus.
Credo.

Hymn—"Thy Kingdom Come"
Address—"The Greatest Test Match"
by the Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan,
B.A., S.C.F., C.I.E.

Hymn—"Onward Christian Soldiers"
National Anthem
Benediction.

Voluntary—Chorale in D. (Bach).
10 a.m.—Close Down.

11-12.15 p.m.—A Relay of the
Morning Service from St. John's
Cathedral.

12.15-2.30 p.m.—European Recorded
Programme.

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather
Report.

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.
Violin Recital from the Studio To-night

7-7.30 p.m.—Dance Music.
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Oceans of Time.
In other Words we're Through.
This Little Piggy went to market.
Madame will you walk.
Homeward.

Waltz—Unless.
7.30-7.47 p.m.—Vocal Gems from
Operas.

Faust. (Gounod). Light Opera Company.
Carmen (Bizet). Light Opera Company.

7.47-8 p.m.—Organ Recital by
Marcel Dupre.

1. Tocata in D Minor ("Dorian
Mode") (Bach).

2. Variations from Fifth Symphony
(Widor).

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather
Report.

8.03-8.37 p.m.—Concert Items.

Morgen, Op. 27, No. 4 (Strauss).
Stanchen, Op. 17, No. 2 (Strauss).
Ellenbeth Schumann (Soprano).

Pianoforte Solo—
Study in F Minor (Liszt).
Au Bord D'une Source (Liszt).
Solomon.

Song—
In my Garden (O'Keefe).
Neapolitan Love Song (T'amo)
(Blennson).

Richard Crooks (Tenor).
Cello Solo—
Abendlied (Evensong) (Schumann,
arr. W. H. Squire).

Air (arranged on "Air on the 4th
String"). W. H. Squire.
8.37-9 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.
Pique Dame—Overture (Suppe).

"Sif Dan" Godfrey—conducting the
Bournemouth Municipal Or-
chestra.

Poet and Peasant—Overture (Suppe).
Percy Pitt and Augmented Sym-
phony. Orchestra.

Henry VIII Dances (German).
New Symphony Orchestra.
9-9.20 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Violin Recital by Conrado de la
Cruz.

Programme
1. Concert in G Minor Bruch.

(a) Prelude.
(b) Adagio.

(c) Finale.

2. Danse Espagnole Granados.

3. Minuet in A Minor C. D. Bartlett.

4. Allegro Flocco.

Accompanist—C. Dudley Bartlett.

9.20-9.48 p.m.—
"Hawatha's Wedding Feast"

(Coleridge-Taylor),
by the Royal Choral Society con-
ducted by Dr. Malcolm Sargent.

1. You Shall Hear how Pau-Puk
Keewis.

2. But the Gracious Hawatha.

3. He was Dressed in Shirt of Doe-
skin.

4. Till the wind became a whirlwind.

5. Onaway! awake, beloved.
(Continued at foot of preceding
Column).

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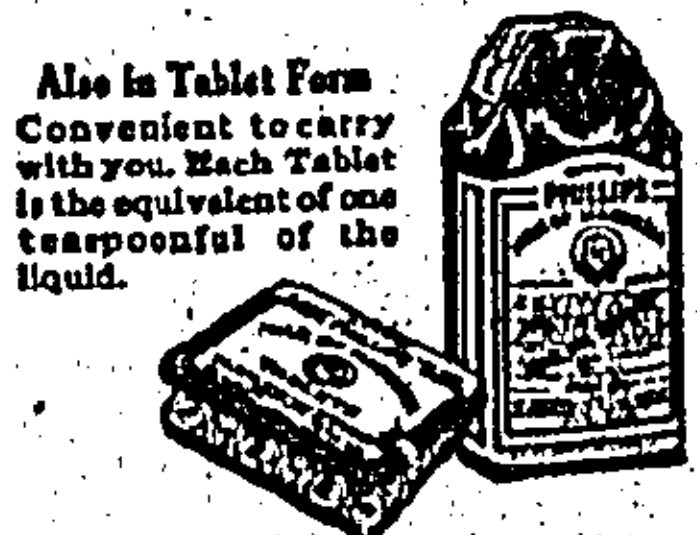
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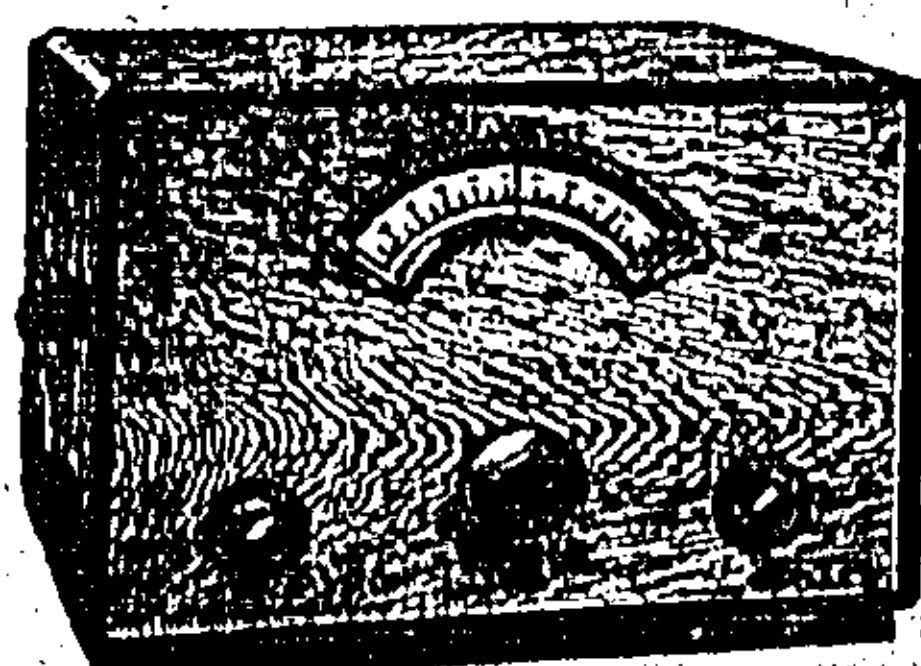
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A Considered Opinion.

THERE is an official language, not alluded to in any dictionary, which requires a certain amount of experience in such matters to be properly understood. It contains what George Meredith used to call "fine shades." One august official who had to submit everything to a still more august official with very little expectation that his recommendation would be disregarded, used to have three grades of formality which would not convey any meaning at all to the uninitiated. If he said "I have the honour to forward for your consideration" he would expect a negative reply, more or less curt. The formula "I have the honour to forward for your favourable consideration" the expected reply would still be unfavourable, but polite and regretful. But "I have the honour to submit for your favourable consideration" was always greeted with approval and confirmation.

The Right Honourable the Colonial Secretary has referred the question of Quotas for Japanese imports to Hong Kong for "a considered opinion" from His Excellency the Governor. The formula implies consultation with the leading officials and advisers of the Government, and it would be surprising if the reply differed very greatly from the accepted policy of Hong Kong, which has been arrived at as the result of many very full and careful discussions in former years.

A very clear distinction must be drawn between the purpose of this proposal and the purpose of the recent appointment of a Trade Enquiry Commission. Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister is anxious to brighten the prospects of the Lancashire Textile Industry, which has suffered enormous losses during the last three years, and has fallen from being the biggest factor in the British Export trade to being the biggest claimant for unemployment relief. With that object we have the greatest sympathy; for the prosperity of the various Textile Industries is a big item in the national strength, on which not England alone but all the Colonies depend. The concern of the Commission is not with manufacture but with trade; and it is necessary to get the two aspects into a proper proportion and relationship.

The trade of the Empire had been conducted on a happy-go-lucky system for a couple of generations after the abandonment of "the Mercantile Theory" and the "Colonial System" at the behest of Adam Smith, when Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, at the end of the Boer War became convinced that the free and easy method of leaving trade to look after itself, which had worked so well in the days when the textile supremacy of Lancashire was unchallenged, was breaking down. He appointed an unofficial Commission, with Professor J. A. S. Hewins as Secretary, to enquire into the whole subject. For several years very interesting reports used to appear, with the general tenor that the trade of the Empire was immensely more intricate and varied than anyone had realised; and that it could not be reduced to what was called "Intra-Imperial" trade without a very severe improvement all round.

The result was to kill that movement for twenty years; though in retrospect we can see that in a modified form England could have secured many concessions by that policy, which were probably lost for ever. The Dominions, whose trade is much bigger than that of the Crown Colonies, grew tired of giving preferences which were not reciprocated, and made a very scanty response to the tariff proposals put forward at Ottawa. Losses in the Indian trade were enormously greater than could be atoned for by the rest of the Empire together. The recent Conference in Bombay opened the gates of India to two hundred million yards of cotton goods, and besides figures like that the domestic consumption of residents in Hong Kong is scarcely worth negotiating about.

There are three main classes of Lancashire goods, — coarse, fine, and specialties, (such as fabrics mixed with rayon). As regards the best qualities Lancashire need fear no competition; it is merely a question of whether the consumers have the money to pay the price. As to the cheaper standardised cloths Japan last year had all the benefit of depreciating her coinage, which cannot go on for ever. Stocks will have to be replaced at higher prices. And recently the cheaper goods have been coming in greater proportion not from Japan but from North China. In that trade we have merely the advantage of being the most convenient distributing Chinese port. Our population is either the coolie class, with whom cheapness is the only consideration, or the trading class, which gains by the entrepot trade enough money to buy the better qualities of cloth; and by hampering that trade for the very small local consumption we should be throwing the baby out with the bath.



ONE of the greatest difficulties in reforming the world by denouncing some system that we do not like, is that we are met with the answer "well, it works". I remember once standing in Tammany Hall on the night of an election, as the results came in. Each new message was handed up on a slip of paper to a stenographer on the platform; and as the name of the District made its way through the babel of ward-healers who were standing about in groups on the floor discussing the figures in a loud voice as large plugs of chewing gum would allow to be possible, one of them would suddenly dart across to a counter in the corner. There he would receive a wad of bank notes and sign a chit, and continue his conversational mastication. I remarked that the organisation seemed very complete; but would have been surprised to see George Washington or Alexander Hamilton. I got the inevitable retort "well, it works". It is a comparatively easy thing to upset a theory that has not got past the stage of discussion; but in a world where it is difficult to get anything done it seems that the only way to upset something that works is to replace it with something that works better.

Cave Men.

THAT instructive pragmatism of the human animal was the philosophy of the cave man, and when the first reformer argued that knocking a woman on the head so as to be able to carry her off was somewhat uncouth, he was no doubt told "it works". It must have been a great advance in civilisation when the alternative of buying the girl from her father was found also to work. So we are told that slavery was also an advance; it came as an alternative to slaughter. The Cave Man is by no means extinct. We talk glibly about "the modern man", but where is he? We can find amongst our contemporaries some who are clearly generations in advance of their day; and others who would have been much more happy as leaders of Pleistocene society. The same has been true of all countries and all periods. A particular reign becomes known as a period of law-abiding through the prominence of a few conspicuous figures that manage to get taken as representative. It is quite on the cards that our own time may figure in history as the age of the revolver.

Guns.

THE social and political effects of the use of explosives have always been greater than the principles expounded by the leaders of those who used them. Gunpowder was always an argument for Democracy. A man did not need to have a caparisoned charger, spear and sword, in order to apply the clumsy fuses that were used with the first heavy iron guns; but the discharge of the gun was enough to blow feudalism into the air. Many of the old castles still show in their ruins the splintered stone and gaping holes of their last stage. And gunpowder gave force to arithmetic. One mounted knight may have been equal to a dozen footmen; but two guns were better than one. "Trust in God, and keep your powder dry". Cromwell's maxim was good sense; but it does not record which part of the sentence decided the issue at Naseby. Military arithmetic seems to have worked itself out as an effective scheme now that the whole world has to be recruited for any really big fight. The process of cancelling out is very useful in vulgar fractions, but when the fractions, however vulgar, have votes and other means of objecting, the sum is apt to work out to an unexpected and undesired result.

Revolvers.

SO the resort to "public war" having become very expensive and risky, it is probable that some other development will take its place. Science and experiment go on, and the keenest eagerness is still to find means that will work over more effectively to replace the Cave Man's primitive club. There is of course gas; but gas is not easy to get without identification. If the public war of State against State becomes more and more rare, is it not probable

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HOME GOVERNMENT'S WISE ATTITUDE RECIPROCATION IN USE OF AIR-PORTS URGED

LOCAL PESSIMISTIC VIEWS SCORNE

(By Our Aviation Correspondent.)

THE outside world is becoming vitally interested in the possibilities of Hong Kong from the aviation point of view. I say this, not from imagination, but from the fact that, as recently as this week, information has been received that the British Government have turned down a proposal from the Pan-American Airways, one of the largest air organisations in the United States, to run an air-line between the Philippines and Hong Kong, with the eventual view of linking up with the Shanghai-Canton service.

The British Government refused the American Company permission to utilise Hong Kong as an air port for their proposed line, and, I think, rightly too.

The Pan-American Airways have a large interest in the air-lines which run throughout the north of China, and apart from that, America, as well as China, has, to date, held out of the International Air Convention, and, if permission is given for semi-Chinese American concerns to use Hong Kong freely as an air-port, without any reciprocity use of Chinese and American air-ports, it is up to the British Government to stand firm until a proper agreement can be reached, in which there is give and take on both sides.

WISE GOVERNMENT ATTITUDE

At a casual glance the British Government's attitude in refusing permission might appear to be narrow, both from the point of view of crushing a foreign enterprise, and in spoiling what would possibly be the chance of an increase of business and trade in Hong Kong.

This, however, on consideration, is not the case. With equal rights to use Chinese Territories, the Government would, I think, be taking a wrong view, but until we are able to use our own territories as British air-ports, it shows weakness to allow foreigners the free use of them.

That Hong Kong will be a British air-port, serving British airlines in the East is, I feel certain, a foregone conclusion, but we must assert our own independence and rights in regard to the matter, and hold out for facilities to be afforded to Imperial Airways or to some other company, before we allow free entry of foreigners.

PESSIMISM, UNJUSTIFIED

Pessimism has been displayed in certain quarters, following the Government's attitude, and it has even been hinted that Hong Kong's

chances of becoming an air-port have been crushed, but this quite obviously is not the case.

The position of Hong Kong makes it all-important from the aviation point of view, and it is only a matter of time and enterprise before we shall have our regular services, just as almost every other country in the world has its local and international connections.

Meanwhile, Hong Kong's activities in the air are arousing interest in other parts. In the Shanghai press recently there appeared an article concerning Hong Kong's flying school, giving full details of the equipment, training appliances, and the various courses it is possible to take at Kai Tak.

An increasing interest is being taken in flying by the man in the street in Hong Kong, especially regarding the facilities provided by the H. K. V. D. C. for training in the aerial branch.

With this growing air-mindedness throughout the Colony, for it certainly is a growing, spreading from one man to the next, hopes for the future of Hong Kong in the world of aviation are bright.

CORRECT VIEW OF FUTURE

The important thing is for those who are air-minded to cultivate the correct point of view—not to think of flying as a thrilling way of spending their spare time, but as a large and important branch of the world's commerce, to be fostered as such, particularly in a place like this, where the possibilities are great, and where so little progress has been made to date.

With this vision in view, I am sure that, in spite of the temporary set-back through the British Government's wise action, it will not be long before we will be able to fly to Manila, and not only there, but to any other part of the world we may choose.

CHINESE FILMS.

United Photoplay Head Returning From Tour.

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Mr. Lo Ming-yu, Managing Director of the United Photoplay Company, Limited, Hong Kong, and Mr. Kwan Man-ching, studio director, are returning to the Colony by the s.s. Conte Verde, from a tour of the outstanding motion picture studios in the United States and Europe.

It was stated by the Company's officials that a new machine for the production of sound pictures has been purchased by Mr. Lo.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The Empress of Asia will leave Shanghai for Hong Kong and Manila at 11 a.m. on Monday.

A dance will be held at Mountain Lodge on August 18.

An "At Home" the Girl Guides and Boy Scouts will be held at Mountain Lodge on Saturday, August 25.

Dr. E. L. Allen, M.A., Ph.D., will address Rotarians at their usual weekly tiffin at the Hong Kong Hotel on Tuesday. The subject will be "Dr. Morrison".

Members of the Craigengower Cricket Club are notified that the fortnightly whist drive will be held on August 4.

The name of the Hot Food Shipping Company, Limited, has been struck off the Register of Companies, according to the Government Gazette.

The Prison branch of the M.C.L. is holding a whist drive on Thursday next, at 3 p.m., at the Prison Officers' Mess.

While unloading a lorry in Stubbs Road on Friday, Cheung Ching-ling was crushed by a bundle of iron bars, resulting in his removal to the Government Civil Hospital, suffering from two broken legs.

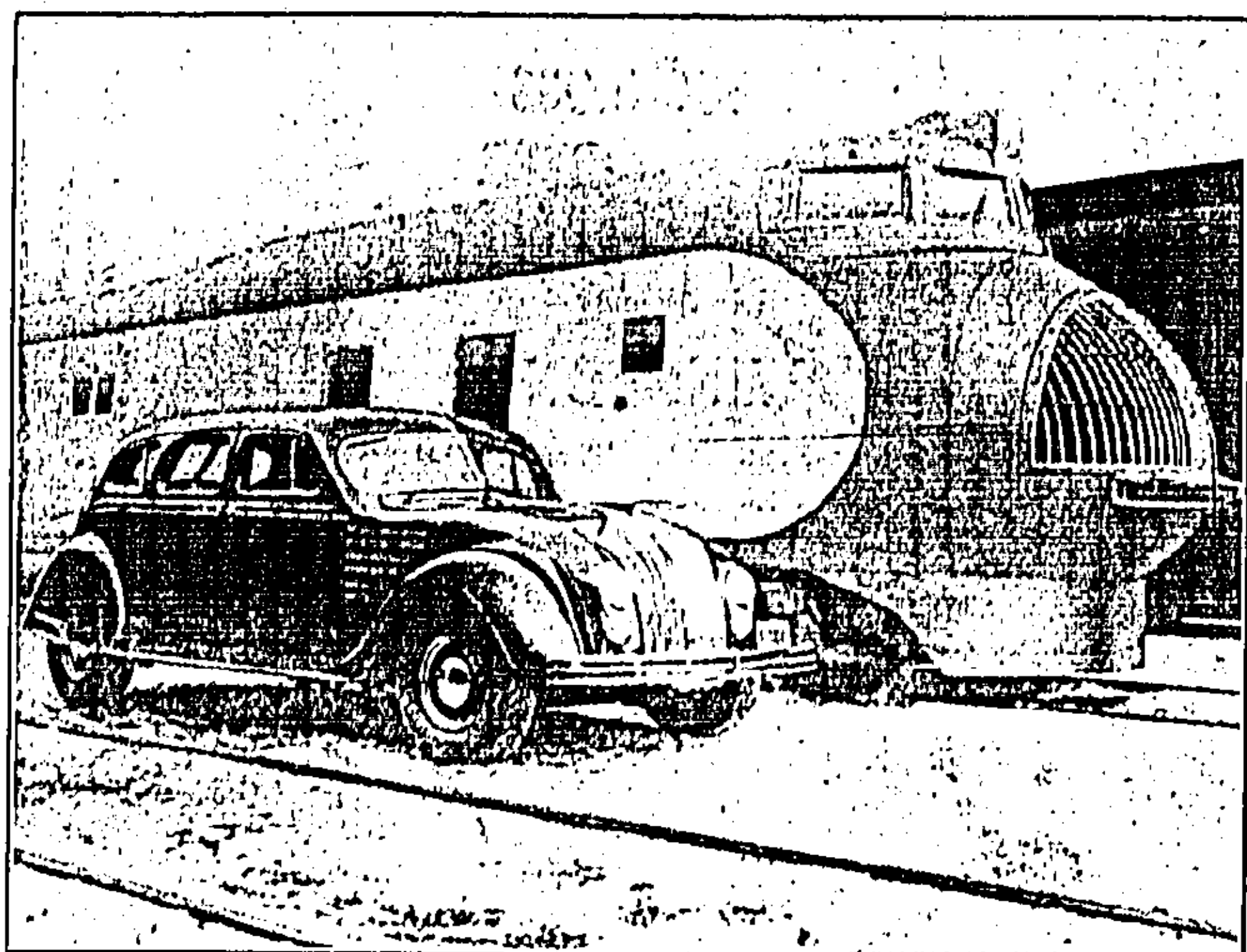
A tea dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel this afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. The music will be provided by the Andertonians Band.

The Marcus Show, the theatrical troupe which recently played a successful season in Hong Kong, left for Singapore yesterday by the s.s. Ranchi.

Two telegrams—Thievwinh, 5, 1st Floor, East Street, Hong Kong, (from Cholon), and Koungtongmai, No. 9 Ichenglok, Hong Kong, (from Saigon) are awaiting claimants at the Government Radio Office.

A fine of \$20 was imposed on Lam Lun, unemployed, by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistrate's court yesterday morning, for the theft of eight pairs of trousers from No. 14 Jervois Street on Friday.

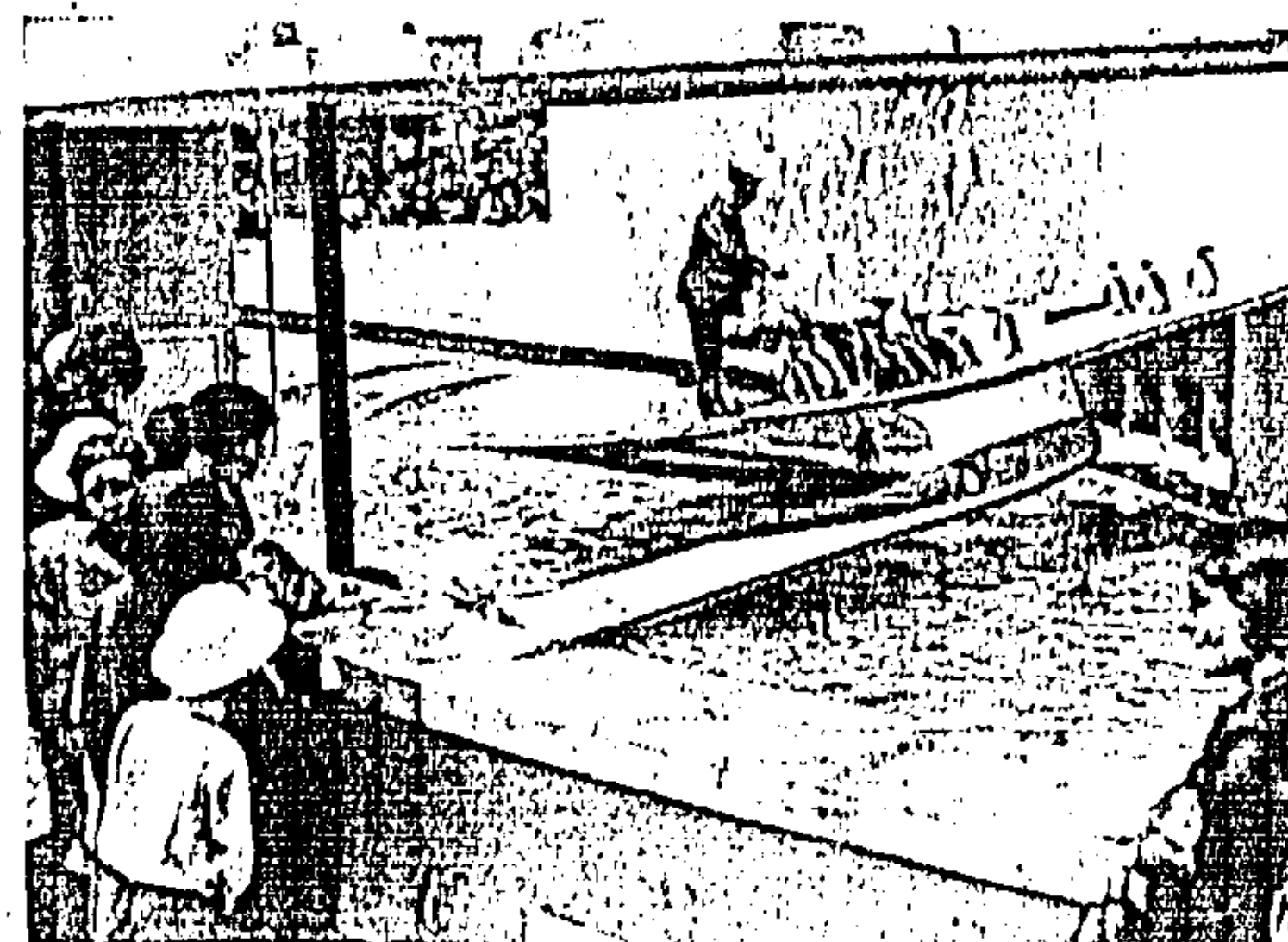
Yuan Ho, a Chinese woman, of No. 597 Reclamation Street, third floor, was admitted to the Kwong Wah Hospital on Friday, suffering from injuries sustained when she fell to the street while collecting clothes on the verandah.



The meeting of the moderns. A Chrysler Airflow Imperial sedan shown beside the Union Pacific Railroad's new lightweight, streamlined train. There is a striking resemblance between these two "last words" in wheeled transportation, especially in the treatment of the grille, the position and shape of the windshield and the general front-end contour. Both were designed to reduce wind resistance to a minimum and thus conserve horsepower. The train comprises three cars and altogether it weighs only 85 tons. The motive power is a 600 horsepower distillate-burning engine, directly coupled to a generator. A speed of 110 miles an hour is attained. The engine of this Chrysler car develops 130 horsepower and it is equipped with an automatic overdrive device that permits a speed of 100 miles an hour.

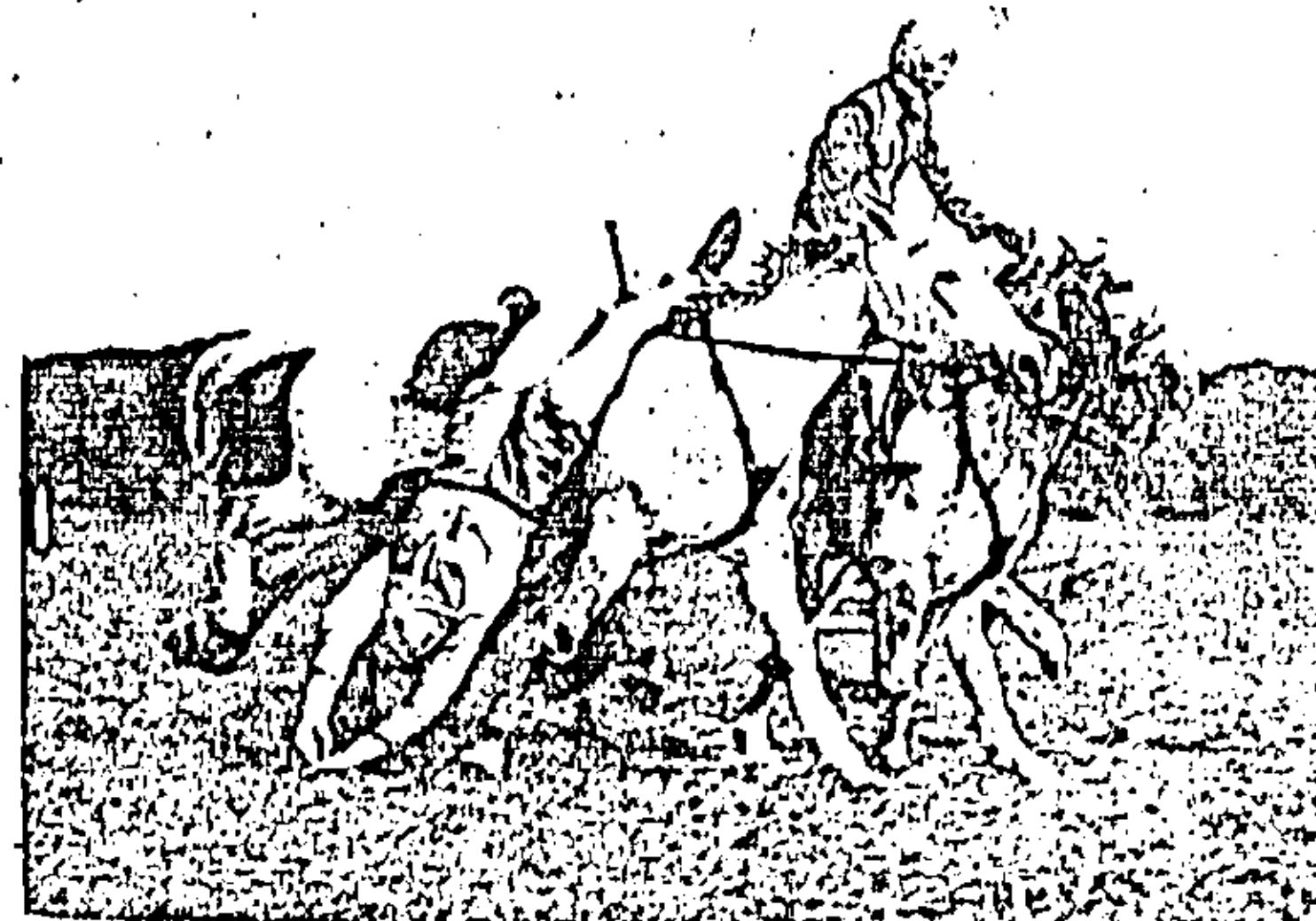


Mystery of dead fish. Thousands of dead fish line the shores of the River Adur near Shoreham. It is believed to be due to some chemical pollution of the river.



A new home for the penguins. Special spiral pathways have been constructed at the London Zoo to give the birds ample promenade in limited space.

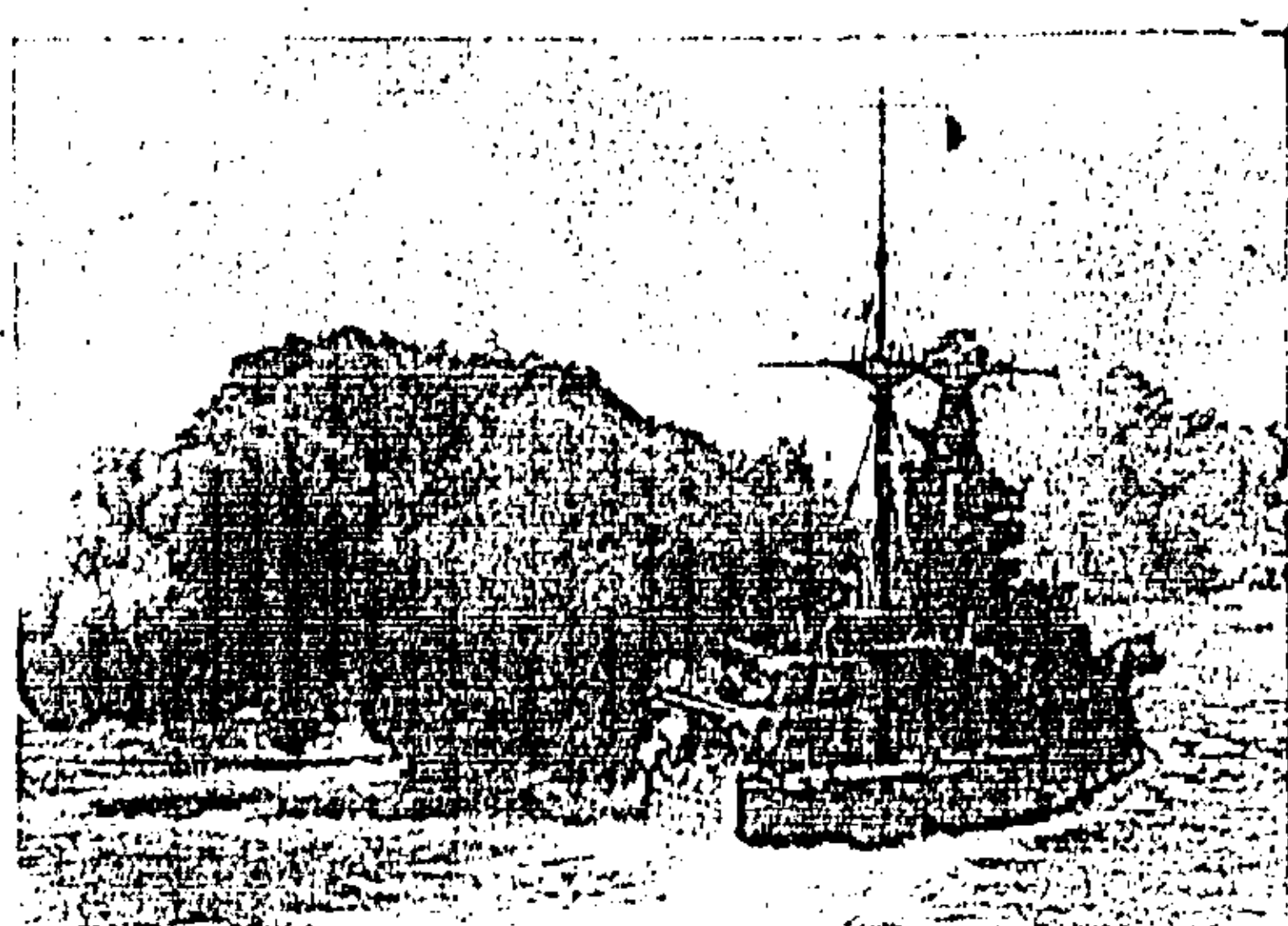
(At Right) — The price of beauty, gloves and boots which are constructed to hold lotions and waxes for the hands and feet. The sponge rubber lining gives massage by the natural movements of the body.



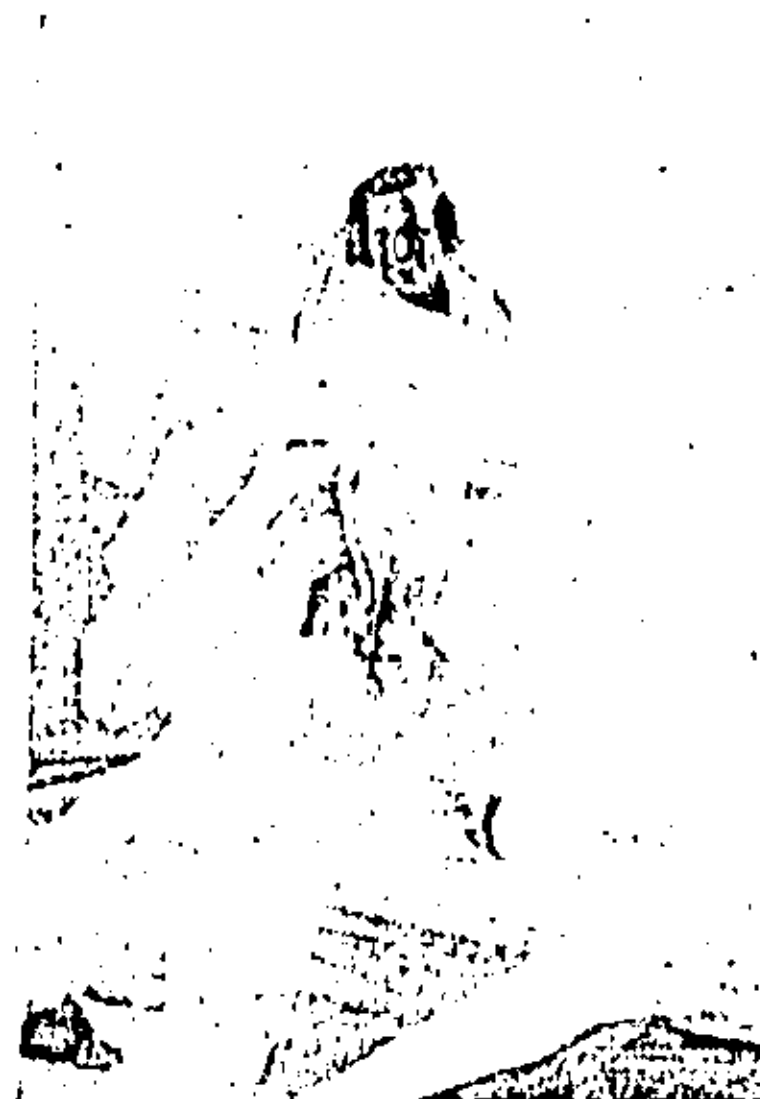
A daring feat. The Scots Greys rehearsing for the Military Pageant which was recently held at Edinburgh.



New light on the old testament. "Alphabetic writing" found on a vase, unearthed outside the ruins of a temple at Tell Duwiler, in South Palestine. It is believed to date from the age succeeding Moses.



The Navy in Action. H.M.S. Malaya firing a full broadside during exercises in the channel off Portland, when the Home Fleet fired all their guns. At one time the eight 15 in. six 6 inch and two anti-aircraft guns were fired simultaneously.



It's only packing paper for packing butter and ice-cream but it made a pretty picture at the Packing Exhibition at Dorland Hall, London.

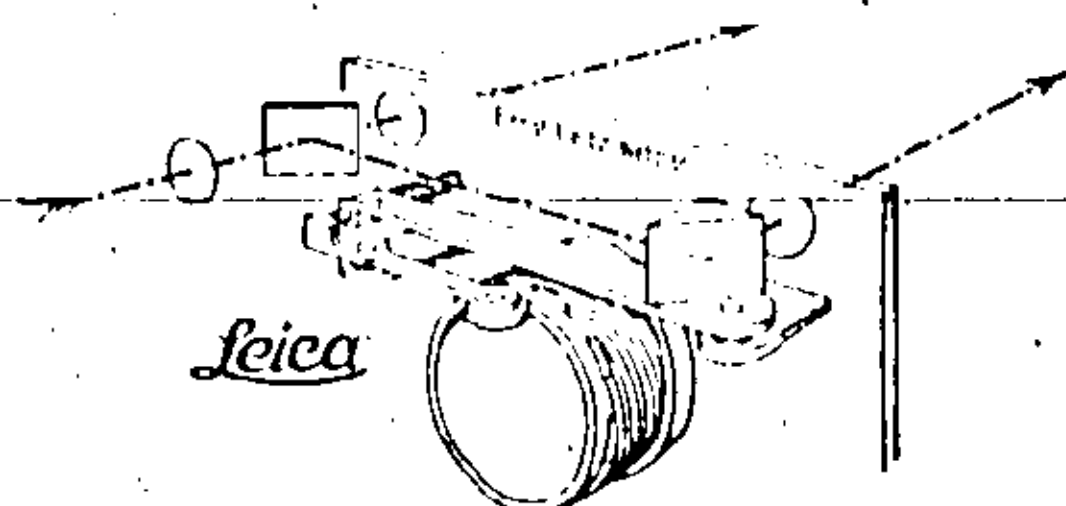


The world's strongest man. Wilfred Briton, a Dane, reputed to be the world's strongest man. At a physical culture display, in Leeds he allowed a motor car to be driven over him.

THE INSIDE WORKS

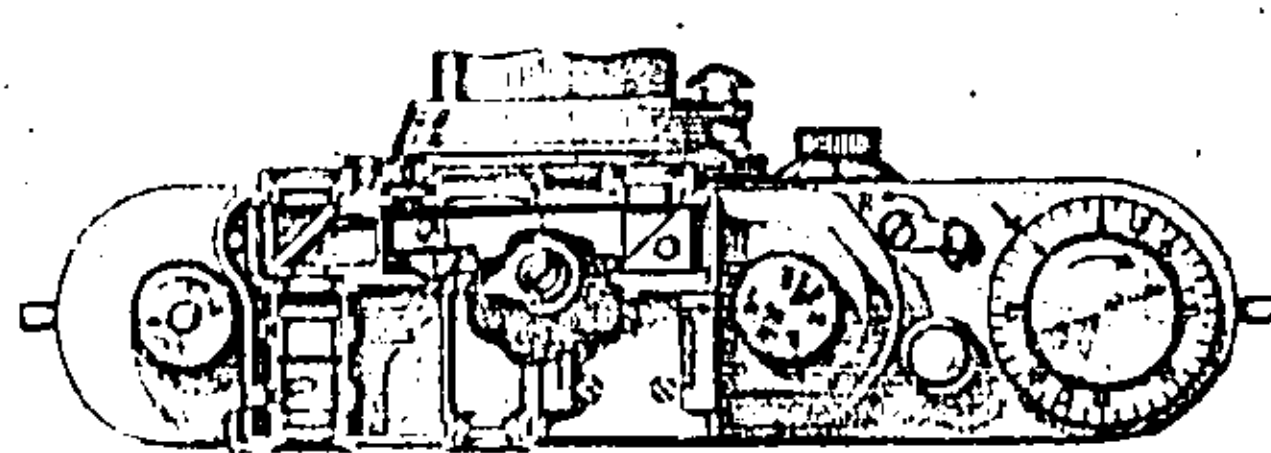
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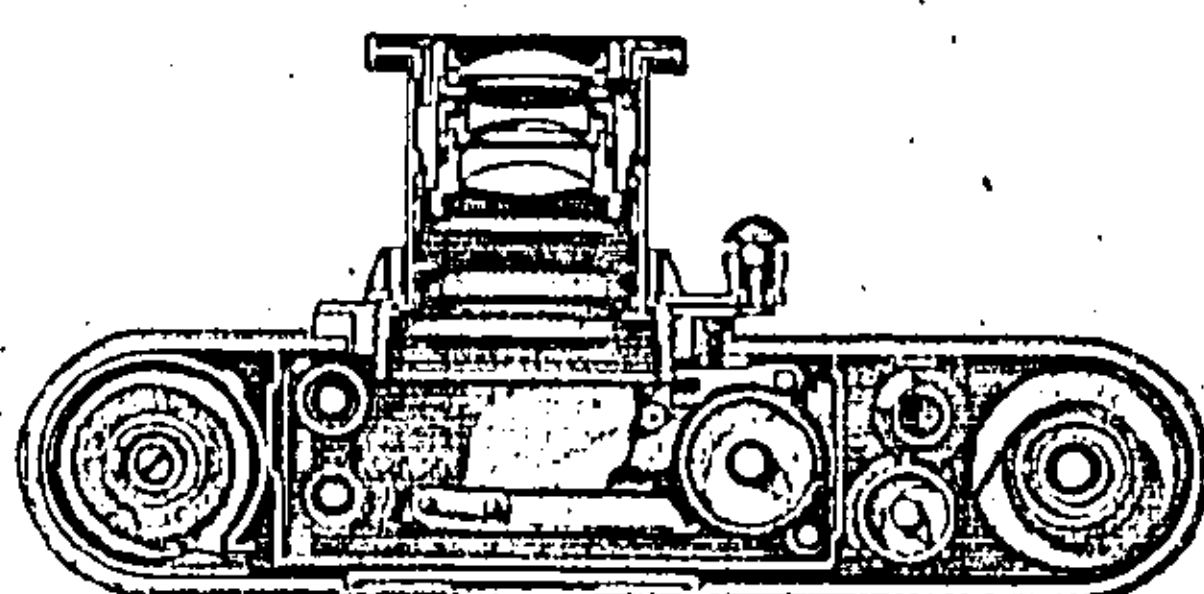
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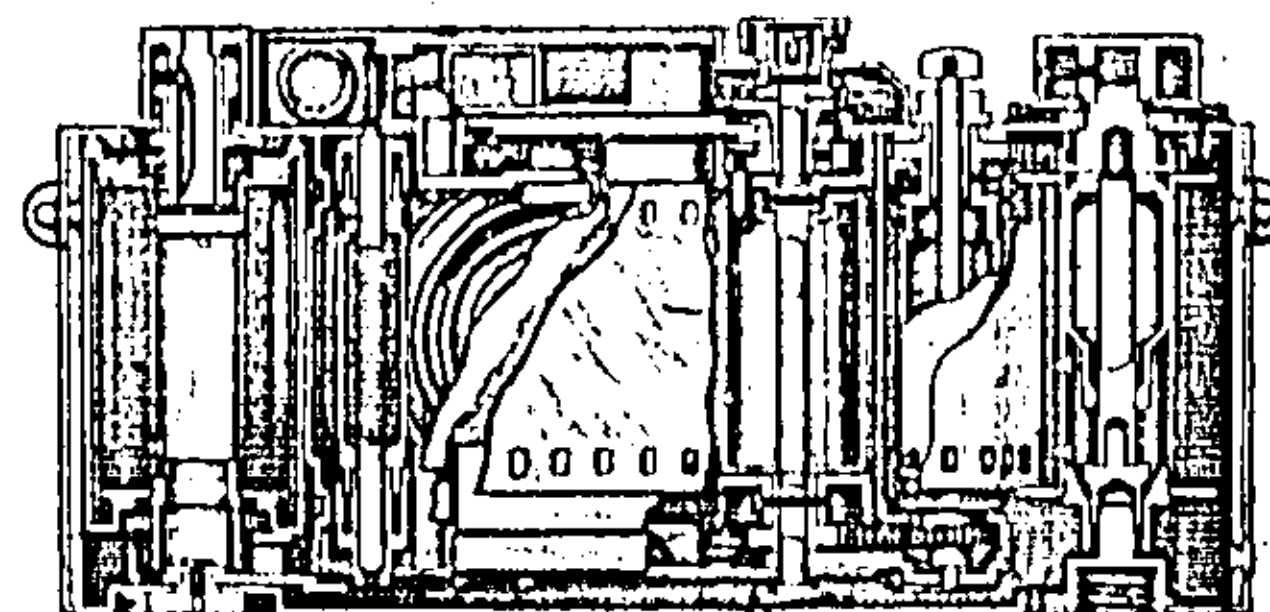
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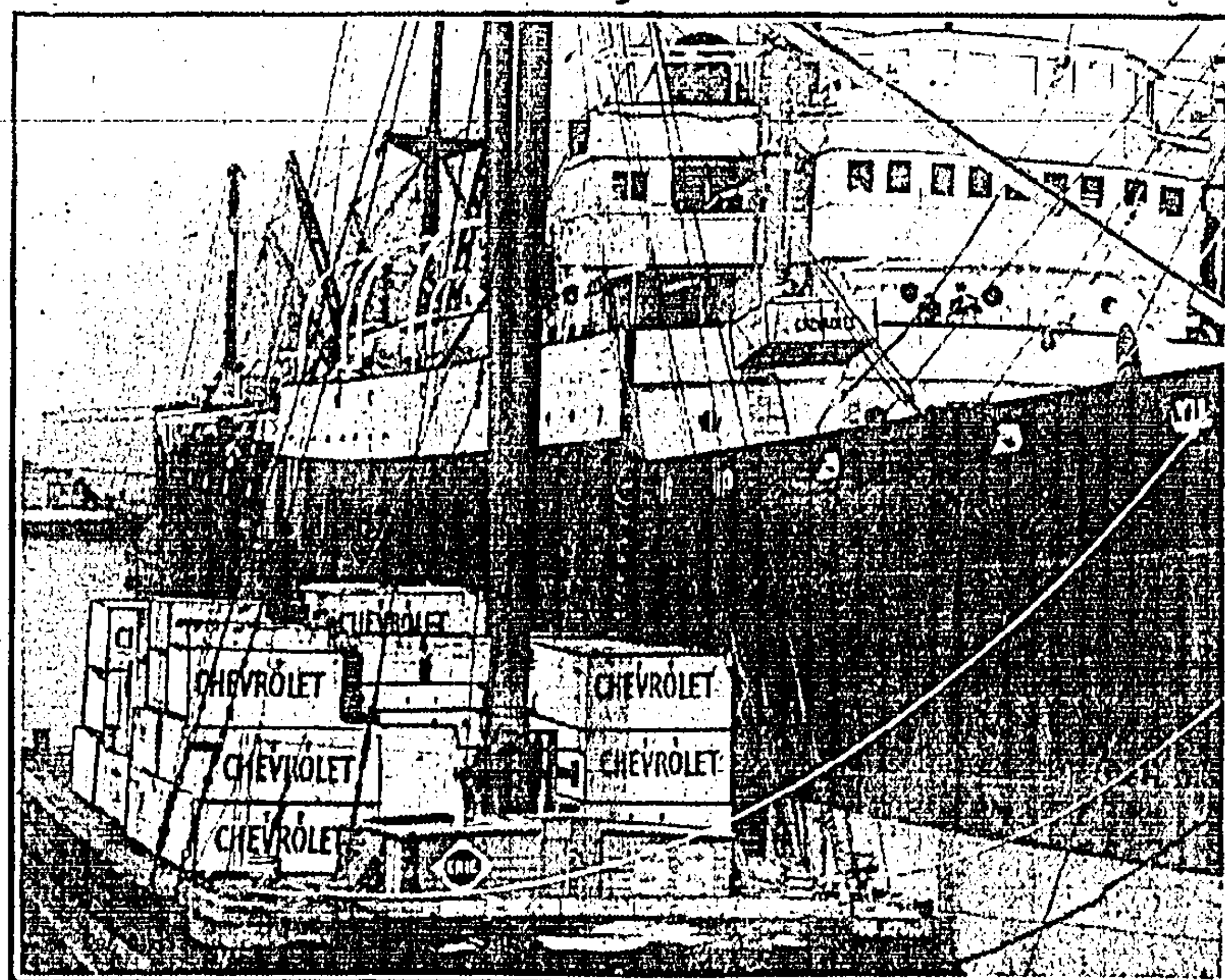
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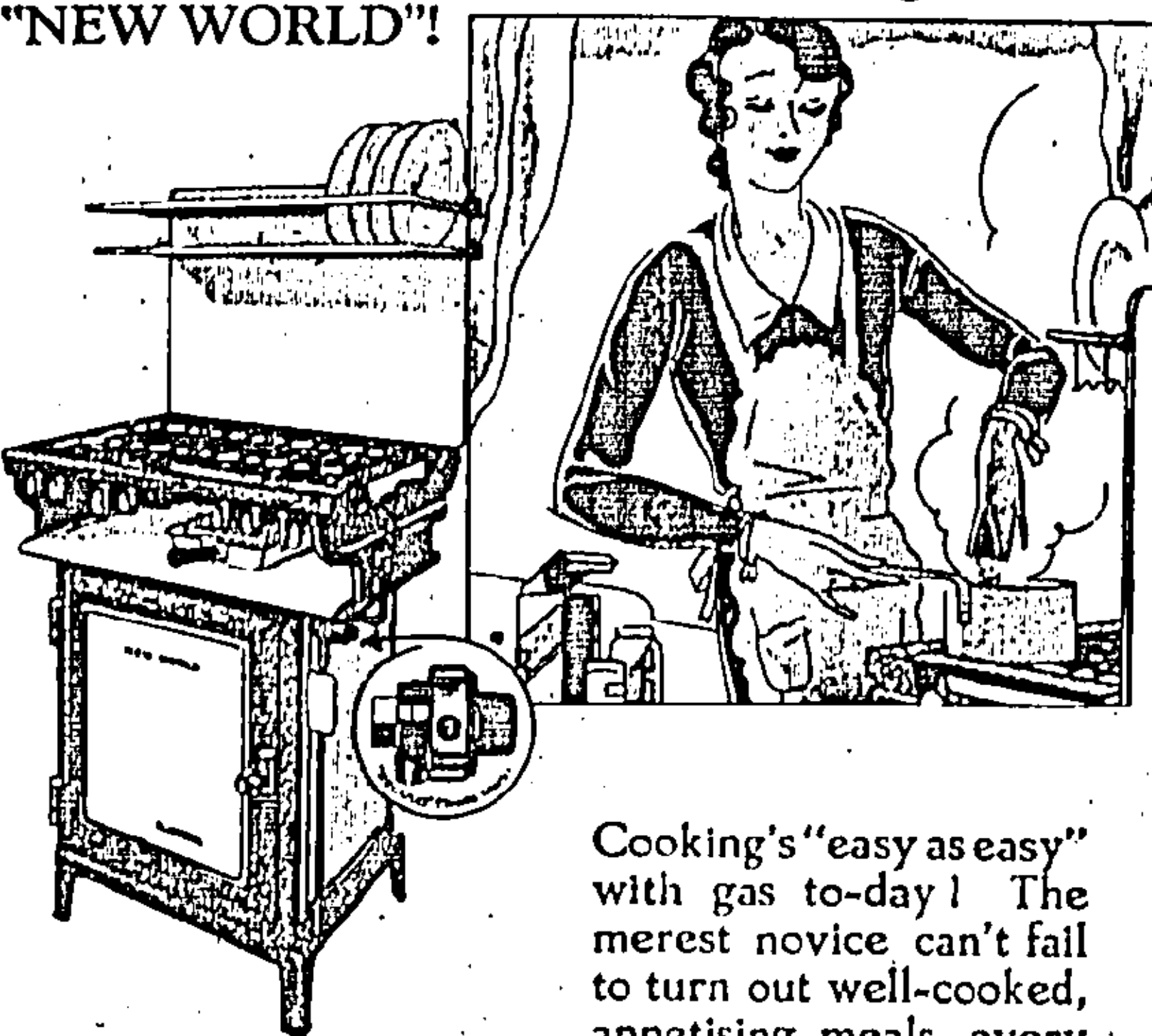
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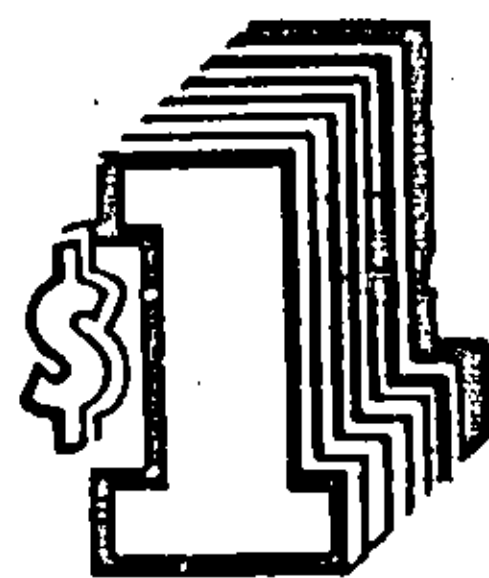
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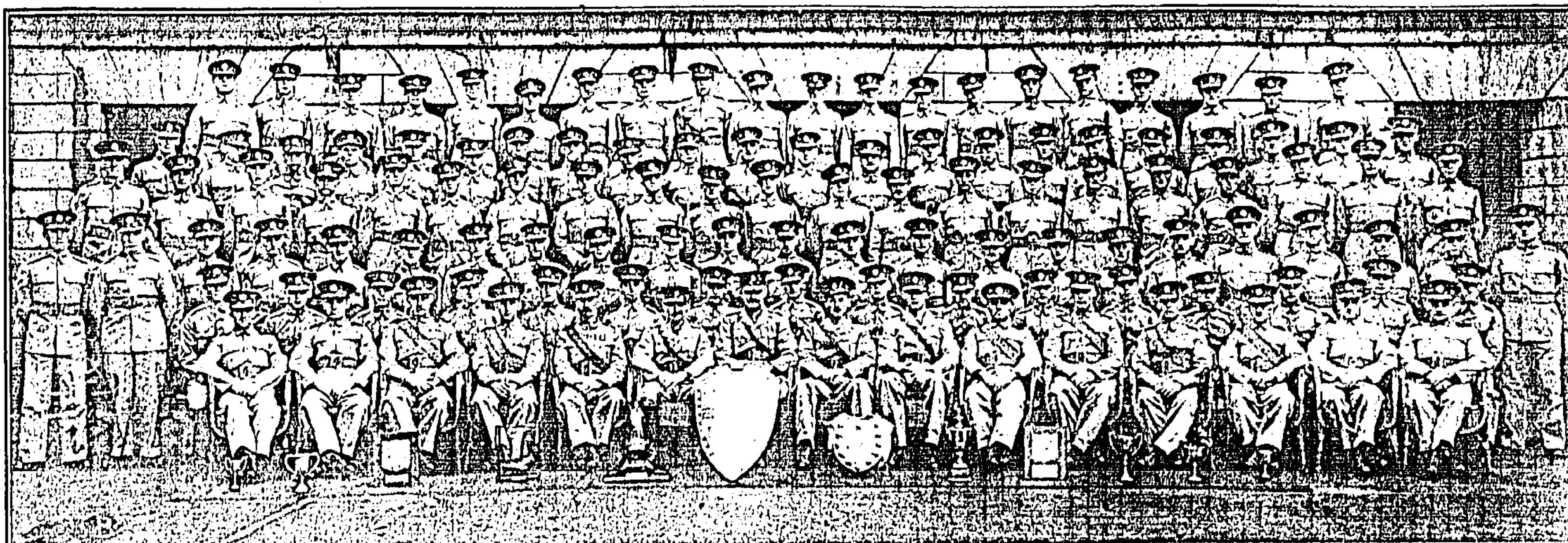
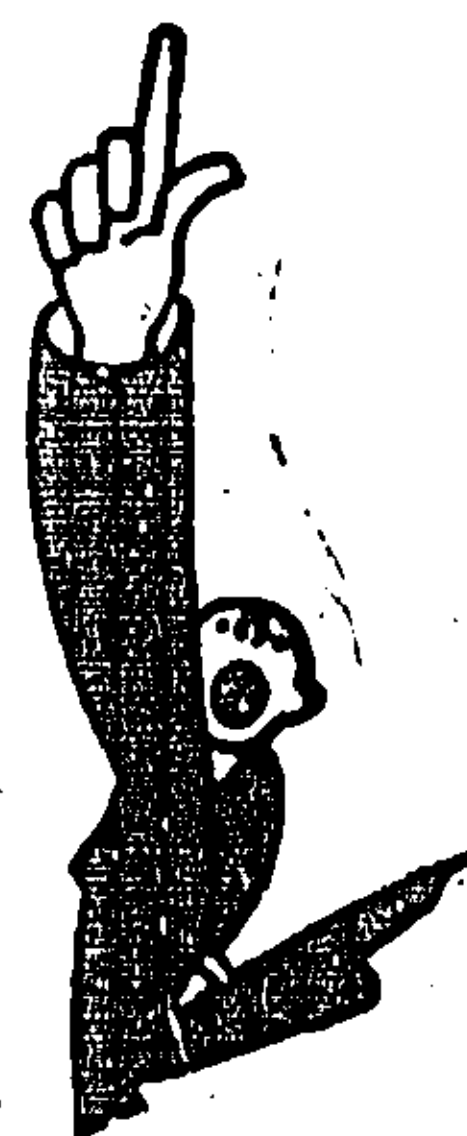
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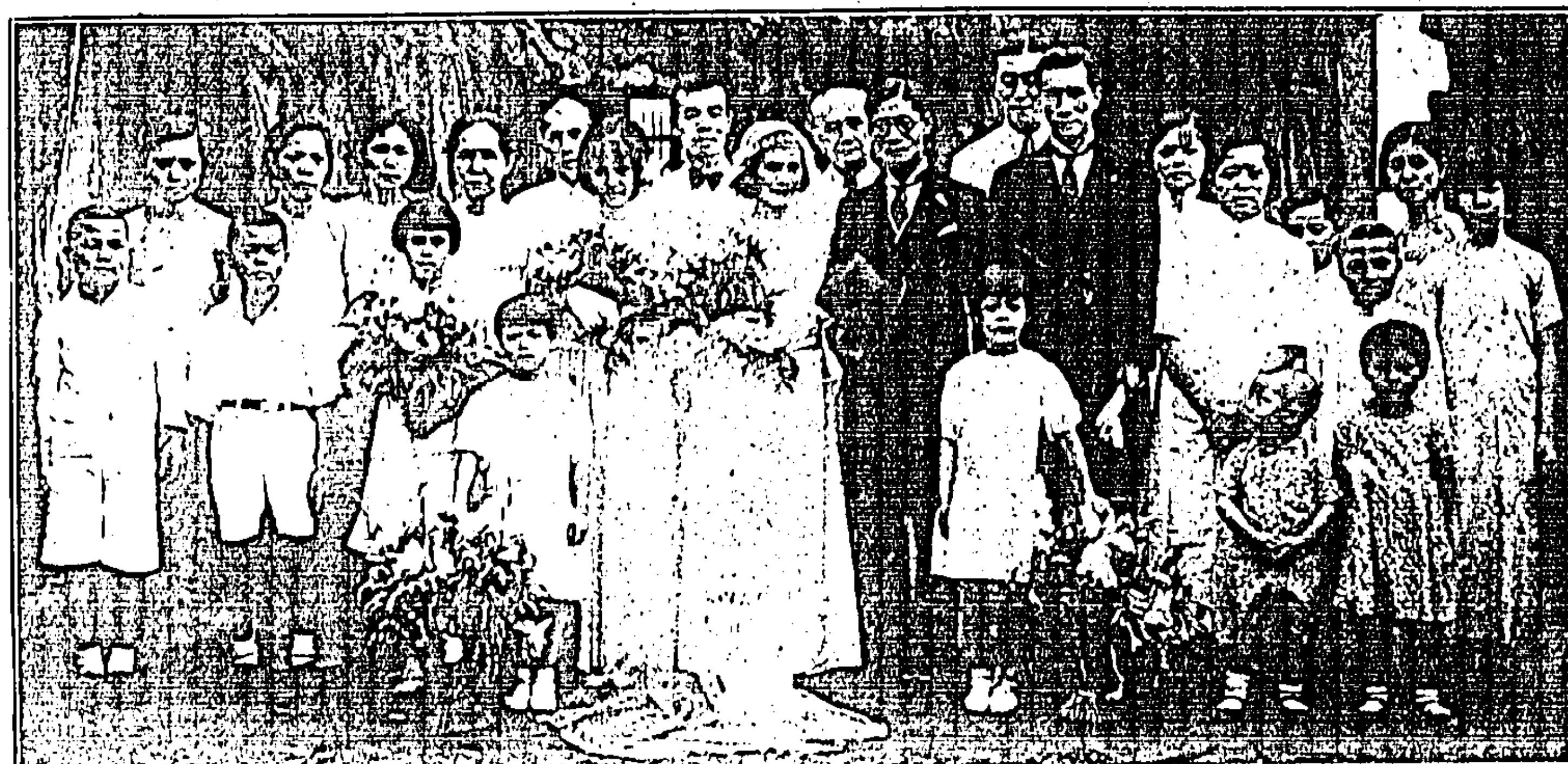
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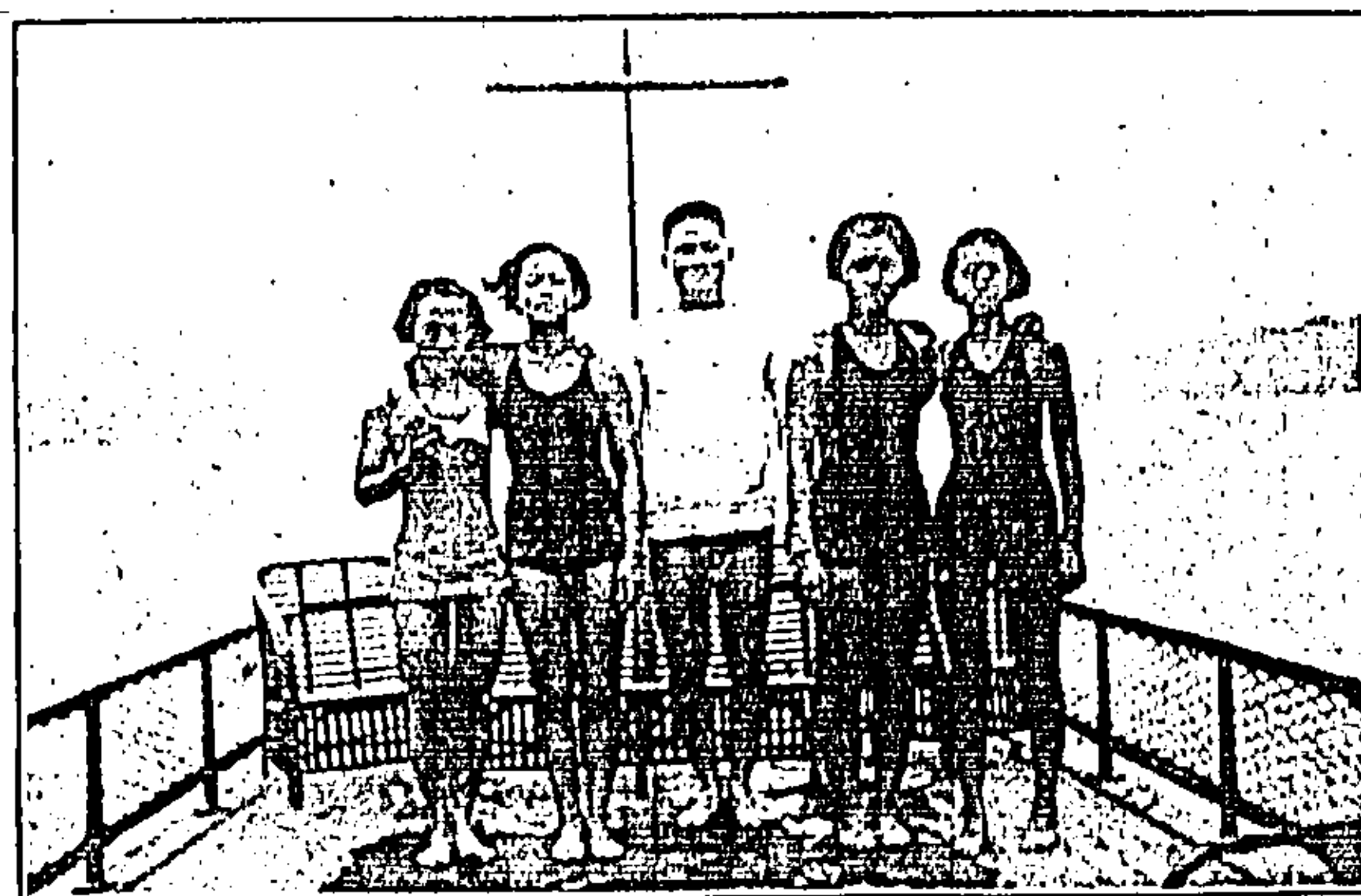
Officers, non-commissioned officers and men of "C" Company, 1st Battalion, The South Wales Borderers, Capt. C. F. Blackden, officer commanding, is seated in the centre of the front row.



(Above) Group photograph taken on the occasion of the marriage of Mr. Wu Koon Tak and Miss Fan Wai Fan which took place at the Empress Hotel on July 24. — (King's Studio).



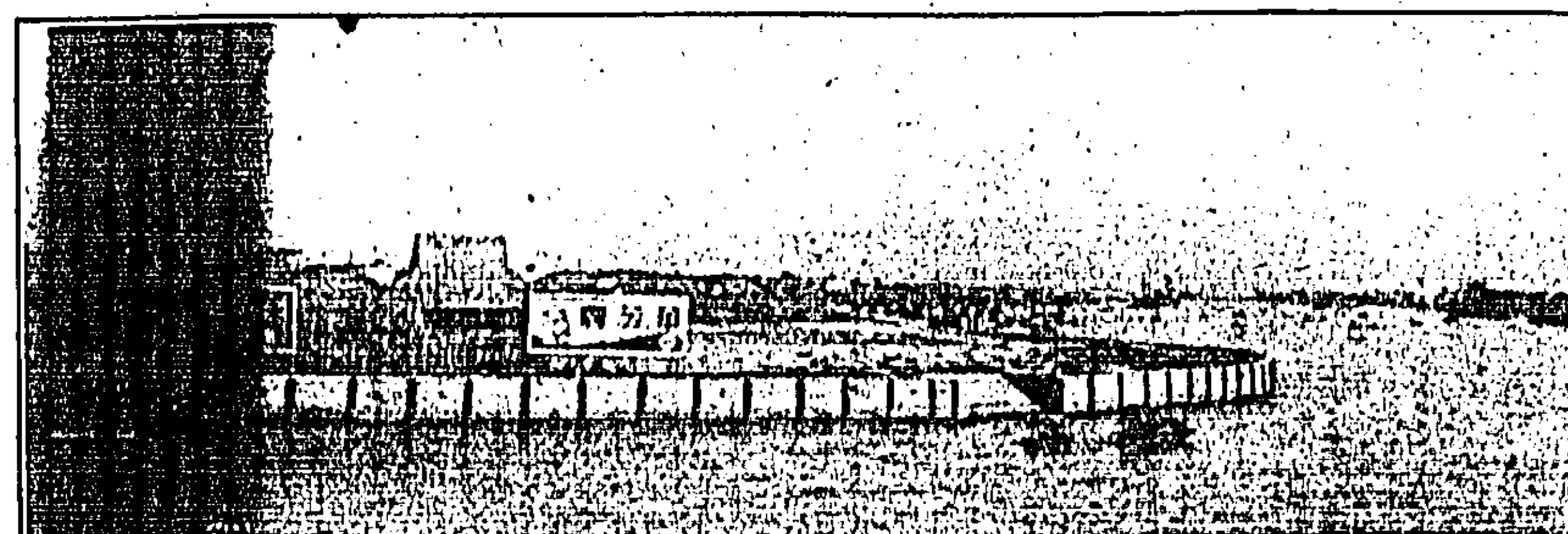
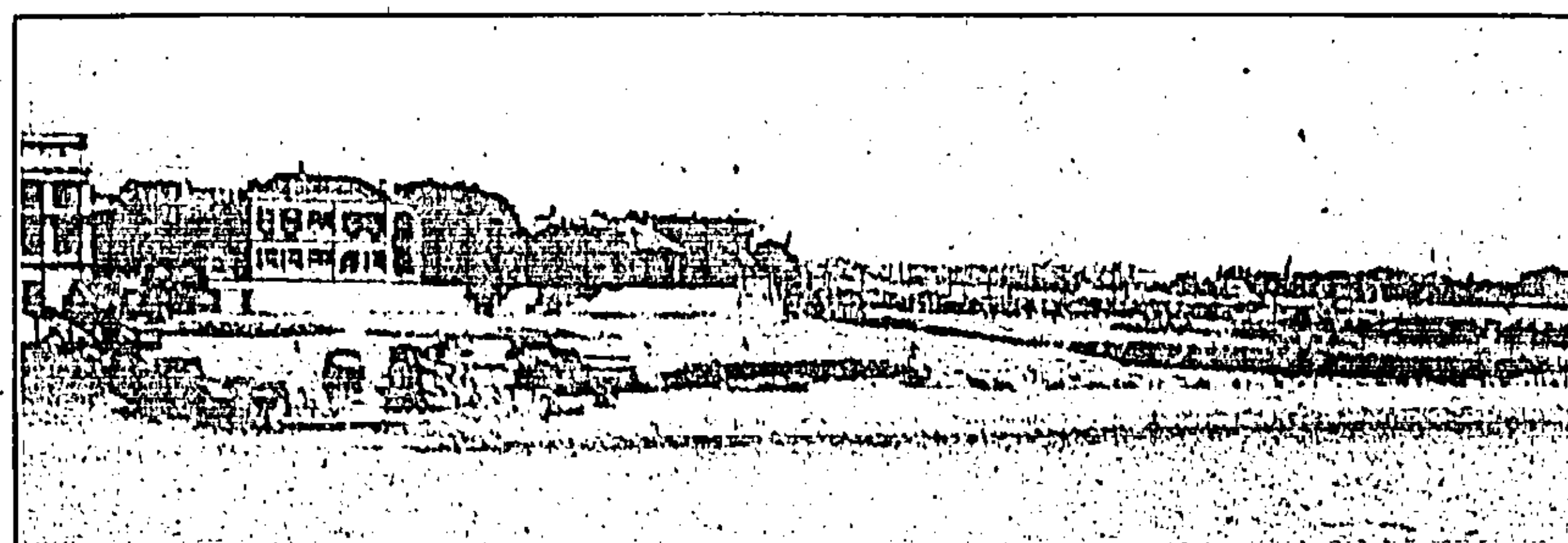
Mr. Wu Koon Tak and Miss Fan Wai Fan after their wedding which was solemnised on July 24.



The Ladies' Relay Team of the Chinese Bathing Club, with their trainer, which won the Ladies' Open Relay Race at the recent S.C.A.A.'s night Gala.



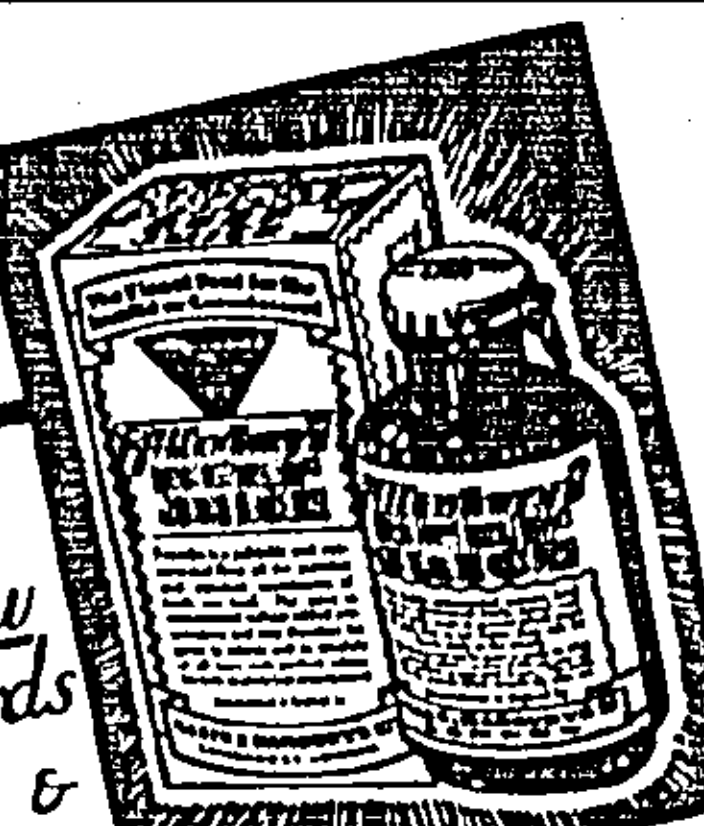
White lines for walking. White lines for pedestrians being prepared in Kingway, London.



(Above) Pictures of the recently constructed Honam Point reclamation at Canton where the river steamers from Hong Kong and Macao are supposed to berth, on and after October 1.

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HONG KONG AND THE NEW TERRITORIES. — No. 115.

The Lantern Fly.

The Lantern fly, one of the largest orders of the insecta being divided into two sub-orders one containing the true bugs, the second the cicadas, leaf-hoppers, aphids, etc. The best known of this sub-order are the Cicadas, which are well represented in Hong Kong, and the Lantern Flies. The commonest Lantern Fly, a species of *Fulgora*, has a long upward curving horn at the end of the head. The first pair of wings is black and green spotted with yellow, the second pair yellow and brown. This species is particularly fond of Lychee and Lungan trees and sometimes a score, or more may be seen on the trunk of one of these trees all sitting upright with snout uppermost. If such a gathering of Lantern Flies is disturbed they will fly off in all directions at a very fast rate. The candle-like projection is not luminous though often supposed to be.

Personal Pars

Mr. J. J. Ferguson, assistant master of King's College, left yesterday on the P. and O. s.s. Ranchi.

Mr. J. G. Pilcher, Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, returns from holiday on Tuesday.

Mr. P. O. Dunne, of the Advertising Publicity Bureau, was among the passengers who left on the P. and O. s.s. Ranchi yesterday.

It is notified in the Government Gazette that Dr. J. M. Gray resumed duty as Acting Medical Officer of Health on July 16.

Inspector F. T. James, of the Hong Kong Police Force, left for home on retirement yesterday by the P. and O. s.s. Ranchi.

Mr. John Manners, of Messrs. J. Manners & Co. Ltd., accompanied by his wife left on the Empress of Japan for Vancouver.

Major R. H. C. Pryn, R.A.M.C., accompanied by Mrs. Pryn and their two sons, left for England yesterday on the P. and O. s.s. Ranchi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kay and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. V. Booth left the Colony on the Empress of Japan for a short holiday.

On Wednesday H. E. the Governor and Lady Peel will dine informally with His Excellency the G. O. C. Major General O. C. Borrett, and Mrs. Borrett, at Flagstaff House.

Mrs. J. N. Lewis Bryan, wife of the Senior Chaplain to the Forces and well-known local ranking lawn tennis player, left for a holiday in Japan by the Empress of Japan.

To-day H. E. the Governor, and Lady Peel, accompanied by their son Richard Peel, will be the guests to lunch and golf of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Turner at their residence at Sheko.

Capt. Charles Pennack, of the Lincolnshire Regiment, and Miss Lily Rossow MacKay, of Melbourne, Australia, will be married on Tuesday morning at St. Andrew's Church, the Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan officiating.

Many school-mistresses also left for Japan on the same steamer. Among those who are on holiday are the Misses M. G. Paterson, M. W. Newsholme, B. Gough, M. B. Hall, K. M. Anderson, E. G. Stoven, J. Buckwell, E. M. Gray and M. Hoop.

Among the passengers who sailed yesterday on the P. and O. s.s. Ranchi, homeward bound, were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. H. Colgan, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. P. Corson, Mr. W. Cummins, Mr. A. Croxson, Rev. and Mrs. L. V. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leichman, Mr. J. T. MacConnell,

A Purple Flowered Shrub.

The Verbenaceae is well represented in Hong Kong, *Verbena* is cultivated, *Lantana* has escaped from America where it should undoubtedly have been strictly confined, *Vitis* and *Clerodendron* each have several species and *Callicarpa* as many as nine species will in the Colony. The commonest of these is *Callicarpa tomentosa* which is now in flower. It is a large shrub with opposite leaves very tomentose on the lower surface and with axillary inflorescences developed towards the ends of the branches. Each inflorescence branches dichotomously very many times and each terminal stalk ends in a small purple-red flower. The general effect is very striking and probably every observant person in Hong Kong has noticed this shrub which is very abundant in the Colony. Some species of *Callicarpa* are cultivated not only for their flowers but for the very prettily coloured berries which are every shade from white to purple. A special bed in the Kowloon gardens is devoted to a Chinese species and when it is in fruit it never fails to arouse considerable interest. The Teak tree belongs to the same family. There are two trees on opposite sides of the C.S.O. building and two trees on one side of the Castle Peak road near Tsun Wan; the leaves are very large quite unlike those of any other trees grown in the Colony.

Ixora chinensis.

One of the most beautiful, and incidentally strictly protected of our flowering shrubs is *Ixora chinensis*. In a gardening book occurs this praise, "bears very compact convex corymbs of scarlet salmon colour, the exquisite beauty of which nothing can excel." This shrub unfortunately is not as common in the Colony as it should be though it is still fairly plentiful on the Kowloon hills in the vicinity of the rifle range and of Customs Pass. We made a trip last Monday into Kwangtung about 80 miles north of British Territory and noticed it growing in great abundance. Also from the train shrubs in full flower could be seen on the banks and hill-slopes. Like so many of our most attractive plants this species is better known in England and America, where it is extensively cultivated, than in Hong Kong.

Abutilon indicum.

Another beautiful flowered shrub by plant noticed in flower on the same trip into Kwangtung and which also grows wild in the Colony is *Abutilon indicum*. This belongs to the Malvaceae many of which are extensively cultivated in gardens, e.g. Mallow, Abutilon and Hibiscus. The flowers of all these have much in common; those of *Abutilon indicum* are pure sulphur yellow with a reddish centre. They open nearly flat and are much more attractive, though similar in some respects, to those of *Hibiscus tiliaceus* referred to in recent notes. This species can be grown from seed or from cuttings and is worth a place in Hong Kong gardens. It grows to a height of from four to six feet.

POLICE REVOLVER RANGE TENDER.

At King's Park.

Tenders are invited by the Director of Public Works for the erection of a Revolver Range for the Police, to be situated at King's Park.

Tenders are also invited for the supply of postal pillar boxes, the work consisting of the provision of seven cast iron boxes.

Tenders are being invited for permission to take wolf-traps from Crown land near Needle Hill, Shatin. The upshot annual fee is \$2,500 per annum.

Mr. P. J. McGown, Mr. and Mrs. B. McAtee, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pauley, Dr. and Mrs. C. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. T. Sheeler, Mr. and Mrs. E. Santon, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tomb, Mr. and Mrs. J. Whyte and Mr. W. R. Williams.

NAZI CONTROL OF COTTON MILLS

New Decree Governs Raw Materials.

MONTHLY ALLOWANCE

Berlin, Yesterday. The Cotton Control Board has decreed that German spinning mills must not, in future, consume a monthly average of raw materials greater than 70 per cent. of the monthly average for the first three months of 1934.

Producers, distributors and consumers of flax, jute and hemp must advise the authorities of the amount of their stocks by August 8. — Reuter.

RESTAURANT MOVED ON SLEIGH.

Engineering Feat In Genoa.

Genoa. A well-known restaurant has been moved bodily from one street in Genoa to another. The site of the restaurant was recently sold, and the owner had to make up his mind to move to a new site further down the steep hill on which it was built. A framework of metal and wood was constructed round the restaurant, and it was lifted by means of cranes on to a kind of giant sledge.

The sledge was then allowed to slide slowly down the hill to the new site. It took several days to reach its destination. — Reuter.

BEAUTY CAUSES ROAD SMASH.

Entranced Motorist Loses Control.

Rome. A motorist was driving through Verona, Italy, when he saw a pretty girl walking along the street. He was so entranced that he lost control of the car and drove it on the pavement. Three people were knocked down by the car, and two of them were so seriously injured that they are not expected to live. — Reuter.

THE PASSING HOUR.

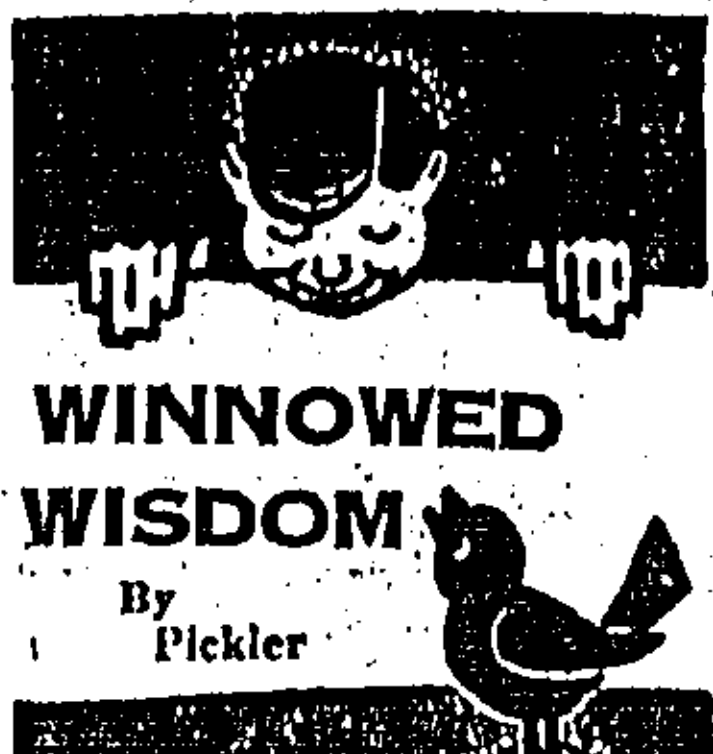
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that the private war of individual against individual, or of party against party, will become more and more common? In anticipating the future one naturally looks at the most absolutely up-to-date centres of civilisation, — Chicago for example. If we look at the oldest centres of a refined society, such as Vienna, the portent is the same. We find that the revolver is the most effective argument for Democracy today. Cordite is marvellously efficient: a bullet has no respect of persons: a hip pocket can accommodate a very lethal weapon: and within limits distance does not act as a deterrent to a good shot. The same weapon that can be used by the police to wipe out a "public enemy No. 1", can be used by a faction to wipe out the chief official of a State who has been too vigorous in suppressing rebels. The habit of carrying a revolver is a distinct step backward, — far more menacing than the old sword that used to be the mark of the gentleman. It was a clumsy and conspicuous weapon that could be avoided or parried in many ways.

The control of the manufacture of arms is always discussed as if it were entirely a question of public war: but now that the power of the State has been so magnified that resistance is usually idle and foolish it looks as if control may become a question of precaution by the State in its own defence. If that seems a far-fetched speculation at this stage, so did the prophecy that gunpowder would knock down castles.

EUROPEAN BOY BITTEN

H. Christianson, a European boy of No. 3 Kimberley Villa, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital on Friday afternoon, after having been bitten by a dog said to belong to Mr. D'Almeida Remedios. The dog has since been sent to Mataukok for observation.



THE poet is discovered in a gone-to-seed study, his head tied up in a towel. Several mute witnesses lie around dead empty. A friend, who looks as if he would make a good advertisement for a liver cure — before taking — is looking at him sympathetically and anon helping himself when he makes onslaughts on the only mute witness which is not empty.

Poet (groaning): What on earth possessed the Editor to ask me to write a poem on the amah? I've never had one, though I think I want one pretty badly. An ode to a boy now.

(A boy appears as if by magic with a bucket of ice and some soda water.)

Poet (petulantly): Oh go to — my no calico you. All right, can do (drinks).

Friend (anxiously): Lay off, old chap. You promised to let that Editor man have some "copy," although I don't see much around here for you to copy from except the labels on the whisky bottles.

(Gazes round the room which is furnished chiefly with a deal table, a dilapidated desk, two chairs which saw better days — a long time ago — and some of Messrs. Caldbeck, Macgregor's almanacs.)

Poet (wearily): Your ignorance is equalled only by your capacity for liquor (significantly studying friend's glass which contains a stiff peg). "Copy" is — oh hang it, life's too short to explain. Here goes for the poem:

(Writes, and recites aloud as he does so —)

Oh fair and flaccid amah by the banks of fragrant waters,
I do not mean those awful banks
At which my overdraft is —
thanks.

(Accepting proffered bottle from friend.)
Perhaps another one would teach
Me how Parnassus height to reach.

(Takes "another one" which sizzles as it descends. Grabs pen and recommences.)

Oh fair and flaccid amah by the side of fragrant waters,
With yellow hand, about the land,
you drag our sons and daughters.

(Scrutinises the paper with a disinterested eye for a few moments; then regards it through the bottom of a glass, whereupon his gloom increases. Friend — with careless abandon — helps himself but studies the decreasing contents of the bottle with distinct perturbation.)
Poet (making fresh start):
In childhood's days who o'er me hung;
And weird celestial ballads sung,
And made me learn the Chinese tongue?

My amah.
Who, when the days were burning hot,
Not caring if I wished or not,
Dragged me across the garden lot?

My amah.
Who, when my tongue was very dry,
Oft filled the creamy goblet high,
With whisky-sodas "well n't"?

My amah.
Friend (suddenly awakening from semi-coma): That won't do old man, that's giving "the game away. It must have been milk she gave you.

Poet (with great hauteur): I think, Sir, you had better undertake this task. The well-known facility of expression which is one of your most prominent characteristics (breaks off in time to rescue a few drops which remain in the bottle, towards which friends hand is stealthily drawing nigh) — Not you don't old chap. That is the last bit of inspiration which remains, and I'm going to finish the poem or something will break. (The vigour with which he is waving his hand knocks over his glass which breaks.)

Poet (sorrowfully):
Who'd see her friends most frequently,
And talk about her missuses,
And never, never think of me?

My amah.
(At this stage, sentiment overcomes poet who collapses and slinks on the floor amid broken glass, his friend, and evil-smelling cigar ends).

THE MORRISON CENTENARY

Services At Hong Kong And Macao.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT FOR BOAT SAILINGS

Arrangements for the Morrison Centenary Celebrations have now been completed, and memorial services are to be held in Hong Kong and Macao during the coming week.

On Wednesday a service, conducted by the Rt. Rev. R. O. Hall, the Bishop of Hong Kong, will be held in the chapel in Macao, after which a wreath will be laid on Dr. Morrison's grave. The Bishop will be met at Macao by Mr. H. Phillips, C.M.G., British Consul-General in Canton, and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of the opportunity of making the trip.

The steamship company have made a special arrangement by which the Chuen Chow will sail for Macao at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, instead of at its usual time, 3 p.m.

On Sunday next at 6 p.m. a united service of all Protestant churches in Hong Kong will be held at the Volunteer Headquarters. There will be massed choirs, the hymn accompaniment being provided by the band of the South Wales Borderers. In the event of the weather being unfavourable the service will be held in the Cathedral. The Bishop of Hong Kong and the Rev. Wong Oi-long will give addresses.

On Tuesday the Rev. E. L. Allen will address the Rotary Club, the subject being "Dr. Morrison".

Other forms of commemoration will be essay competitions in schools, and a display of books used and produced by Dr. Morrison, at Messrs. Kelly and Walsh.

CANADIAN CHINESE CLUB

Inaugural Meeting At "Tung Lo."

OFFICERS ELECTED

Over 50 members of the younger set of the Colony's Canadian-born Chinese held their first business meeting, with a view to drawing up a constitution for their Club, at the residence of Lincoln Wong, "Tung Lo," Nathan Road, yesterday afternoon.

At the meeting the name, "The Canadian Chinese Club," was chosen. The primary aim is to cultivate good fellowship among the Chinese who have returned from Canada.

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mr. Y. T. Lee, of the Chinese Department of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company, was elected President of the new Club, Miss Fanny Lee, Vice-President, Miss Jenn Mark, Secretary, and Mr. Enoch Bunn, Treasurer. All these officers will hold office for a period of one year.

INDIAN FARMER DEPORTED.

50-Year-Old Unemployed

Charged with entering the Colony without a passport, Shahab Din, a 50-year-old Indian farmer, was fined \$5 and ordered to be expelled from Hong Kong by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning.

Detective-Sergeant Mottram stated that accused came to the Colony on July 12 from Canton, and that he was looking for a job as a watchman.

OPIUM HAUL ON LEE ON.

3,000 Taels Seized.

Charged with being in possession of over 3,000 taels of raw opium on board the s.s. Lee On, Tang Shu-chuen was brought before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning.

On the application of Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmett the case was remanded until Tuesday noon.

Mr. R. C. H. Lim is representing the accused.

The Government is inviting tenders for an addition to the garage for the Prison Department at Arbuthnot Road.

Aspect Towards Life Important

An Eastward Outlook Makes Man Happy

Failures And Fortunes

(By the Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan.)

If you are lucky enough to be able to build a new house for yourself at Repulse Bay, or one of the other delightful sites in which this Colony abounds, one of the first things you would consider is the aspect which you want to face. It makes all the difference to your comfort later on.

The aspect we have towards life is no less important, though we are often inclined not to think much about it. Yet the fact remains that we all of us face in one direction or another, in religion, and outlook.

There are some who face towards the North. They are cold and formal, frigid and austere. They lack the warmth and sympathy which their faith should bring them. Their religion is frozen, icy and chilling. Instead of attracting others by the gaiety and happiness which is their heritage, they seem to repel. They do not mean to, it just happens, and so often it is because they have failed to realise the character of Him Whom they really love. They feel somehow that laughter is out of place, which is the biggest mistake in the world.

Others there are, who look towards the South, where the warm breezes come from, and the humid relaxing airs. They are slow and slack, lazy and indolent, joggling along in the old way, content with things as they are, never aroused and alert to the call of service, basking in the reflexion that having ensured the safety of their own souls, they have done all that is required of them, taking the talent committed to their care, and burying it in the earth. It is as easy to be a selfish Christian, as it is to be one in the ordinary things of human life and its relationships.

The Westerly Aspect. Others, again, take the Westerly aspect. They look towards the setting sun. It is the aspect of the pessimist, whom someone once described as the man who of two evils chooses both. Yes, they will tell you, the good old days, of spiritual warmth and sunshine are passed and gone. The sun is setting — the shadows are gathering, the gloom of night is coming upon us. We are going from bad to worse. We are decaying, and degenerating.

That is the Westerly aspect, — aspect of despondency and despair. There have always been, and there always will be, people who tell you that the golden age lies in the past. They forget that the whole history of religion is a progressive revelation. That each century with its changing thoughts has always been used in some way by the God Who still lives, still works, still gives His Church the living power to go triumphant upon its way, and His children.

The Breath Of God. These questions have been asked from the dawn of time. They are being asked to-day by countless men and women up against the hard stern facts of daily existence, up against the tremendous struggle to make ends meet. And the answer is just this: The winds of God blow from the North the South the East and the West, and it is by the combination of all these experiences that He is working out His purposes for us.

I once read of a man who had a weather-vane over his coach house, and over it in letters of brass were the words "God is live." When he was asked why he had put it there, he replied, "Well, just because which ever the way the wind is blowing it always blows from the love of God."

If only we can grasp that fact, that even in life's darkest hour, God, our Father, is a God Who loves, Who feels, Who knows, Who understands, we shall have learned the greatest lesson in life.

He controls the winds. He makes them to blow from every quarter. Then let us trust Him, where we cannot trace Him. Let us believe that our disappointments are His appointments, and that though all things do not seem of the best, yet they are working together for good for those who love Him.

"Blow on me, breath of God, till I am wholly Thine,
Until this earthly part of me,
glows with Thy power divine.
Blow on me breath of God, so shall I never die,
But live with Thee the perfect life, of Thine eternity."

Sub-Inspector M. Murphy, who is in charge of the case, asked for 48 hours remand, which was granted by the Magistrate.

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LOCAL SHARES.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued yesterday:—

Banks.
H.K. Bank, \$1835 n.
H.K. Bank (London), \$184 n.
Chartered Bank \$16 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B \$31 n.
Bank of East Asia, \$84 b.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$290 n.
Union Ins., \$550 b., \$560 a.
China Underwriters, \$114 b.
China Fire Ins., \$510 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.
International Assoc. \$6 n.

Shipping.
Douglas, \$41.15 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.
Indo-Chinas (Prof.), \$30 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$33 n.
Shell (Bearer), \$45 n.
Union Waterboats, \$12.90 n.

Mining.
Antamoks, 63 cts. n.
Bulatores, \$324 n.
Bangulo Gold 42 1/2 cts. b.
Benguet Consolidated \$33 b.
Benguet Exploration 19 cts. b.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$2 n.
Ipo Mining \$2 1/2 b.
Itogons \$5 n.
Kailan, \$18/9 n.
Langkats (Single) Sh. \$21 n.
Shai Exploration, Sh. \$5 n.
Shai Loans, \$6 1/2 n.
Raubs, \$13 b.
Venx: Goldfield, \$7 n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, \$110 b.
H.K. Docks, \$12 b.
Providents (old) \$1.60 n.
Providents (new), \$50 cts. n.
Hongkwa, (old) Sh. \$322 1/2 n.
Hongkwa, (new) Sh. \$320 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$5 n.
Shai Docks, Sh. \$125 1/2 n., ex div.

Cotton Mills.
Ewos Cottons, Sh. \$11.30 n.
Shai Cottons (old), Sh. \$73 1/2 n.
Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$42 1/2 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$63 n.
Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$5.60 b.
H.K. Lands, \$58 a.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$25 1/2 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$10.40 n.
H.K. Realities, \$5 1/2 n.
Asia Realities "A", Sh. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B", Sh. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates, \$85 b.
China Realities, Sh. \$15 1/2 n.
China Debentures, Sh. \$137 n.

Public Utilities.
H.K. Tramways, \$21.65 b.
Peak Trams (old), \$15 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.
Star Ferries, \$102 1/2 b.
Yanmat Ferries, \$21 1/2 b.
C. Light (old) \$8.80 b.
C. Light (new) \$8.45 b.
H.K. Electric, \$71 1/2 b.
Macao Electric, \$25 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.
Telephone (old) \$25 n., \$24 1/2 n.
Telephone (new) \$11.30 n.
China Buses Sh. \$13.20 b.
Singapore Tractions, 5/- b.
Singapore Pref., \$17/6 b.

Industrials.
Malbon Sugars, \$12 n.
Cald: Macg. (ord), Sh. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$19 1/2 n.
Canton Ices, \$2.70 n.
Cements, \$2.70 n.
H.K. Cops, \$4 1/2 b.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$25.00 b.
Watsons, \$5.45 b.
Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.
Lane, Crawford, \$4.80 n.
Mackintosh, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$10.30 n.
Wm. Powells, 70 cts. n.
Wing On (H.K.) \$108 n.

Miscellaneous.
H.K. Amusements, \$4 n.
Entertainments, \$7 1/2 b.
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 b.
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.
Macao "Greyhounds" \$2 n.
Constructions (old) \$1.65 b.
Constructions (new), 78 cts. b.
H.K. Govt. Loans, \$3 1/2 cts. prem. b.
Wallace Harpers, \$7 1/2 n.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 GSBds—\$85 n.
Gold River 24 cts. b.
Govt. Loan. 2% prem. b.

PRICES RALLY ON
WALL STREETTrading Brisk On
Advance.

SILVER RULES DULL

New York, Yesterday.
With the exception of utilities, which declined a further .02 to 19.58, prices rallied on Wall Street yesterday. Industrial and rails were up 2.33 and .07 to 87.84 and 34.99 respectively. Bond recovered .34 to 93.59.

Business was brisk, 2,210,000 shares being traded.

The silver market was dull and featureless.

S. E. Levy And Company's Report

In their market report, Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company, correspondents for Messrs. White, Weld and Company, New York, state:—

"Stocks:—We continue to feel that at the present level, the market offers an opportunity for both investment and speculative purchases."

"Bonds:—High-grades were a shade better on short covering and less pressure. Second-grade issues were better."

"Cotton:—The market was quiet but steady, pending the Government cotton crop report. The Trade is giving support on all fair setbacks. Purchases on dips are recommended."

"Rubber:—Steady. The market held firm all through the session on local week-end covering and on small speculative buying. We would continue to remain on the side-lines until a more definite trend has been established."

"Wheat:—Crop prospects are gradually decreasing. There was good character buying of wheat and feed-grains on all dips.—Ruter."

E. A. Pierce Co.'s Report

In their market report, the American Oriental Finance Corporation, correspondents for Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company, New York, state:—

"Stocks:—With the exception of utility issues, the market gave a satisfactory performance. However, the test period has not passed; consequently, a conservative attitude is best."

"Wheat: There was some replacing of holdings on less favourable Canadian crop news."

"Cotton: Prices advanced gradually, encouraged by more favourable interpretation of the foreign situation, a firmer stock market and lack of rain in Oklahoma and Texas. Replacing of holdings by long operators has appeared. There was some Trade buying, but on a similar scale."

"Silver: The market remains unchanged."

Night Telegram

The following telegram was received from New York during the night service:—

"The Austrian situation, the drought position and a probable lack of short interest are favourable factors. However, we follow the outlook which was reached yesterday and, in the likely absence of any catastrophic news, industrial issues should improve."

"Prices opened higher on large blocks of shares being transacted."

"In the silver market, 319 Notices were quickly absorbed. Prices were lower on cables from abroad."

"There is a good demand for cotton, with no pressure to sell. The market acts well."

Dividends Declared

"Kroger Corporation has declared a dividend of 40 cents."

"Bendix Aviation Corporation has declared a dividend of 72 cents."

"Industrial Alcohol has declared a dividend of 90 cents for the past six months."

"Procter and Gamble declared a dividend of \$2.09 for the past year."

"The net operating income of Pennsylvania Railway for the past six months totalled \$31,715,000 against \$25,645,000 for the corresponding period of last year."

"Consolidated Gas has earned 41 cents for the second-quarter or 40 per cent. less than the second-quarter of 1933."—Ruter.

NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGE.S. E. Levy And Co. And
A.O.F.C. Quotations.

New York, Yesterday.
The following quotations from New York have been received by Messrs. S. E. Levy and the American Oriental Finance Corporation.

N.Y./London	Last	Close	Opening	Neon
Cotton Oct.	12.75	12.75	12.75	12.75
Dec.	12.84	12.84	12.84	12.84
Silver Sept.	45.25	45.25	45.25	45.25
Dec.	45.60	45.60	45.60	45.60
Silk Sept.	1.12 1/2	1.12 1/2	1.12 1/2	1.12 1/2
Rubber Dec.	14.28	14.28	14.28	14.28
Dec.	14.68	14.68	14.68	14.68
C. Wheat Sept	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Dec.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
C. Corn Sept.	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Dec.	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Wheat Oct.	85	85	85	85

STOCKS:

Amer Smelt	31 1/4	32 1/4
Anac Copper	10 1/4	10 1/4
Auburn	18	18
Balt & Ohio	13 1/2	15
J. I. Case	35 1/4	38
Con Gas N.Y.	20 1/2	28 1/2
El Bo & Sh	8 1/2	8 1/2
Gen Motors	24 1/2	24 1/2
Int Tel & Tel	8	8 1/2
McIntyre	42 1/2	43 1/2
Mont Ward	21 1/2	23 1/2
Nat Distill	16 1/2	18
N.Y. Central	18 1/2	20 1/2
Soc-Vacuum	13	13 1/2
Stan Oil N.J.	41 1/4	41 1/4
Un Aircraft	14 1/4	14 1/4
U.S. Steel	33 1/2	35 1/2
West E & M	27 1/2	28 1/2

London Prices.

The following quotations from London were received last night between 5.30 p.m. and 10.30 p.m.

London Silver:—

London Silver Spot 20-1/4 and Forward 20-3/8.

China and India sold but afterward bought. Closed steady.

London Gold 138/0.

London/New York Rate 5.03-3/4 (2 p.m. rate).

Liverpool Cotton—Oct. 6.71 (1 p.m. price).

Liverpool Wheat—Oct. 5/5-1/3 (1 p.m. price).

London Rubber—Oct-Dec. 7-1/8 buyers, 7-3/16 sellers—Opening.

Latest Quotations

The following quotations have been received through Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company and the American Oriental Finance Corporation:

N.Y./London	Last	To-day's	Close
Cross-Rate	5.03 1/2	5.03 1/2	
N.Y. Cotton—Sept.	12.84	12.84	
N.Y. Silver—Dec.	45.25	45.25	
Dec.	45.60	45.60	
N.Y. Rubber—Dec.	14.68	14.68	
Chic Corn—Dec.	99 1/2	99 1/2	
N.Y. Silver (business done price)	46 1/2	46 1/2	
San Fran. Silver (business done price)	46 1/2	46 1/2	

18 LEADING STOCKS

	Last	To-day's	Aves.	Change
30 Industrials	85.51	87.84	2.33	up
30 Rails	34.29	34.99	0.70	up
20 Utilities	10.00	10.58	0.58	off
40 Bonds	93.25	93.59	0.34	up
11 Commodity Index	67.01			

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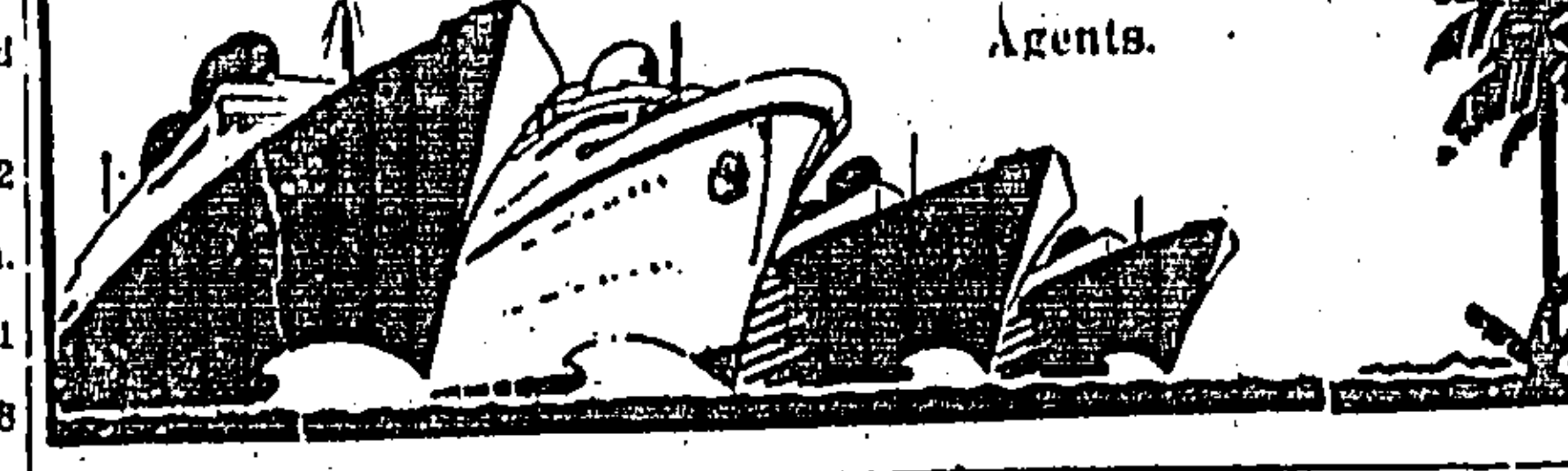
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9	—	GREEN	Depression of 1 inch or more, with strong wind, may possibly affect the locality.
10	+	RED	Wind typhoon force expected (any direction).

RAW RUBBER.

Latest Prices From Singapore.

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts received yesterday the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore for raw rubber:—

Spot 23 1/2 cents up 1/2 ct.
Oct./Dec. 24 1/2 " " 1/2 "
Jan./Mar. 25 1/2 " " 1/2 "
Apr./June 26 1/2 " " 1/2 "
Market—Steady.

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COOK MADE HAY WHILE SUN SHONE

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'MOMENT OF TEMPTATION' AFTER MAJ. JONGG LOSSES

Sin Shing, 40-year-old cook of Mr. N. W. Hill, of No. 43, Nathan Road, was sentenced to 12 weeks' hard labour by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, for stealing and pawning clothes belonging to his master, between May 31 and July 26.

Detective-Sergeant Davies stated that at 8 a.m. on July 26 the defendant was seen by an Indian Sergeant outside the Yau Sun Pawn shop with a pair of flannel trousers in his hand. When questioned, Sin admitted stealing them, and was taken to the station.

Sin's quarters at No. 43 Nathan Road were then searched and twelve pawn tickets were found. Detective-Sergeant Davies then asked Mr. Hill to ascertain what was missing from his trunks. It was then discovered that one woollen pullover, two pairs of flannel trousers, and two woollen overcoats, valued in all at over \$150, had disappeared.

Four of the twelve pawn tickets were for the property of Mr. Hill, while the defendant admitted the rest of the tickets were for the property of his former employer, who is now home on leave. Amongst these were one linen table cloth, one woollen ladies' overcoat, one pair of ladies' leather shoes and brown blankets.

Defendant stated that he had lost all his money playing mah jong, and in a moment of temptation stole the clothing.

The property was bought back from the pawn shops and returned to Mr. Hill.

PURSE CUT AWAY

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed on Wong Ming, unemployed, by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning, for cutting a purse, containing \$12.97, from the person of Chan Fook, on board the s.s. Hau Ioi on Friday.

CORRESPONDENCE

THE PEAK TRAM. WHAT CHINA NEEDS.

[To the Editor, the "Sunday Herald."]

Sir,—With reference to the various correspondence in your journal in regard to the suggested Peak Tramway extension to Queen's Road, I am informed that the latest projected scheme is not new but one that was mooted many years ago, but undoubtedly it is infinitely preferable to the first two suggestions, i.e. (1) to encroach on Military Lands and (2) to build the tramway over the sidewalk.

The first scheme is on the face of it prohibitive on account of the cost, and, I doubt, under any circumstances, whether the Military Authorities would permit their permanent buildings to be ruined. The second scheme is reminiscent of one of Heath Robinson's best efforts.

The last mentioned scheme is at least practicable, but, even so, would probably run to at least \$500,000.00 before it was completed. This question of cost appears to have been totally ignored, but, after all, it is a point for the Directors and Shareholders to decide. The following queries might be of assistance in arriving at a decision.

1. How many years is the present Tramway expected to survive?

2. Could any reasonable hope be entertained of obtaining dividends on the new capital?

3. Where are the necessary increased number of passengers to come from?

4. Why are so many of the Peakites endeavouring to sell or rent their properties in order to remove on to a Motor Road?

5. May one enquire what particular hardship exists in strolling up a comparatively gentle slope to the present Station?

6. If this is too severe it may be easily overcome by paying 20 cents for a chair, but if the Tram were moved to Queen's Road the same objections would probably still pay 10 cents for a chair.

7. Finally is there any necessity for such a drastic change?

As an alternative suggestion why does the Company not buy say four buses, starting them from some central point like Blake Pier or the Post Office, charge the occupants an extra 10 cents, and so somewhat recoup

[To the Editor, the "Sunday Herald."]

Sir,—The creation of a Provincial Assembly in Canton to help in the administration of the Kwangtung Provincial Government is only a policy devised by the South-west political leaders to avoid the appointment of a governor by the National Government.

In the present period when military dictatorship dominates, the formation of a constitutional government, based on the principles of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, seems too good to be true, and beneath the surface there is intrigue and counter-intrigue.

Whatever plans the South-west has made to forestall the control of the Fifth National Congress to be held at Nanking by Nanking, there is only one conclusion and it is that General Chiang Kai-shek and his party will predominate.

Though there is much discussion of ideas for the betterment of morality, talks of laws and economics, and the holding of conferences, there is so little action, and there appears to have been no one who is brave enough to roll up his sleeves and be prepared to do something.

While the whole nation is waiting hopefully, and patiently for some development for the salvation of China, the cut's paw politicians are indulging their time by blowing trumpets—the notes of which are far from pleasant.

This is no time to single out any sect or creed for persecution, or throwing the blame on this party or that party and the most sensible thing for any common sense man to do is either to keep quiet if he can do nothing, or do something if he

their initial expense?

The whole scheme appears to me fantastic and uncalled for, and I also think that the remarks published in the Press, as being made by certain of the Directors, injudicious, to say the least, without consultation with the Shareholders.

W. H. BOURNE.
(In last Sunday's issue Mr. J. S. Gibson forwarded a new proposition for the extension of the Peak Tram to Garden Road, giving a sketch plan of his project, which overcame the difficulty of the crossing of the junctions by bridging in three spans.)

thinks he can do something. What China needs to-day is not self-appointed politicians for we have swarms of these, but a man who has the courage to take off his coat, roll up his sleeves and stand up and say:—"I'll restore the house in order and cleanse the place of all parasites." Is there any man to-day throughout the length and breadth of China who has the courage to do this?

General Chiang Kai-shek seems to me to be the man of the hour. The Fukien uprising which he subjugated at the point of the sword, is the first step towards his policy of house cleansing. The abolition of the South-west Political Council, which is a second step, is more or less taking shape, and, in spite of strong opposition from the South-west leaders, General Chiang Kai-shek is adamant in this enterprise. The crushing of his opponents could have easily been carried out though calling for much bloodshed, but General Chiang Kai-shek, nevertheless, prefers to do this in an amicable way to spare the horrors of a civil war.

To steer China clear off these gathering war clouds, the nation has its eyes fixed on Mr. Hu Han-min. To me he is also the man of the hour. Why he has refused to accept the repeated offerings and pleadings of the Central Government it is very hard for the man in the street to understand. The various lame excuses given by Mr. Hu, or through his mouthpiece, Mr. Hsia Pu-cheng, are insufficient to satisfy even a lay man, and when it concerns a matter of life or death to the nation, such excuses sound childish, and, I should say, based on prejudice. The war which I predict to be pending between the Central and South-west governments can only be diverted if Mr. Han-min, as the spokesman of his party, will join hands with General Chiang Kai-shek. This I believe to be remote, for Mr. Hu would be subjected to the criticism of his colleagues, who have given him support in the past.

The situation, as it is at present, is a very complicated one, while all the time the nation is sitting on a barrel of gun powder waiting for the first one to strike the match.

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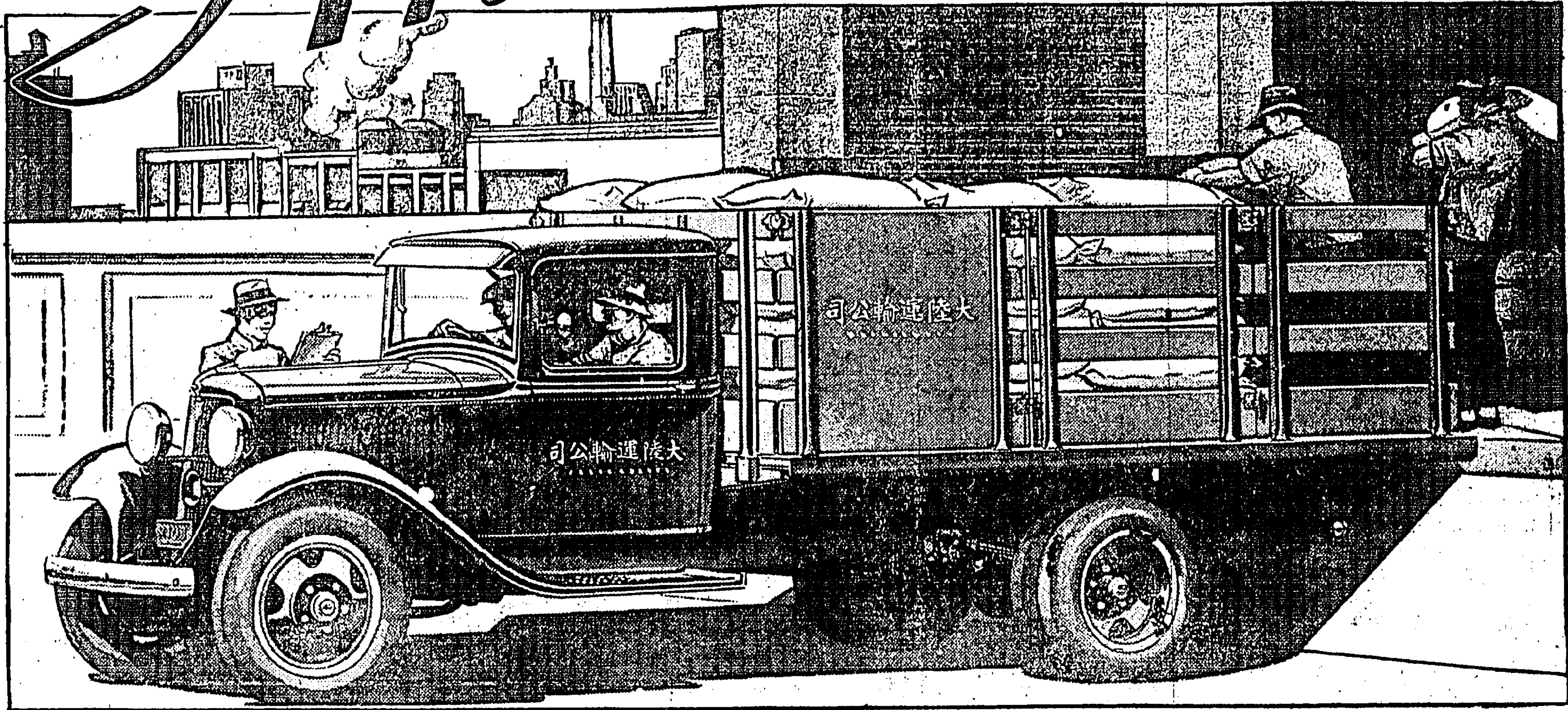
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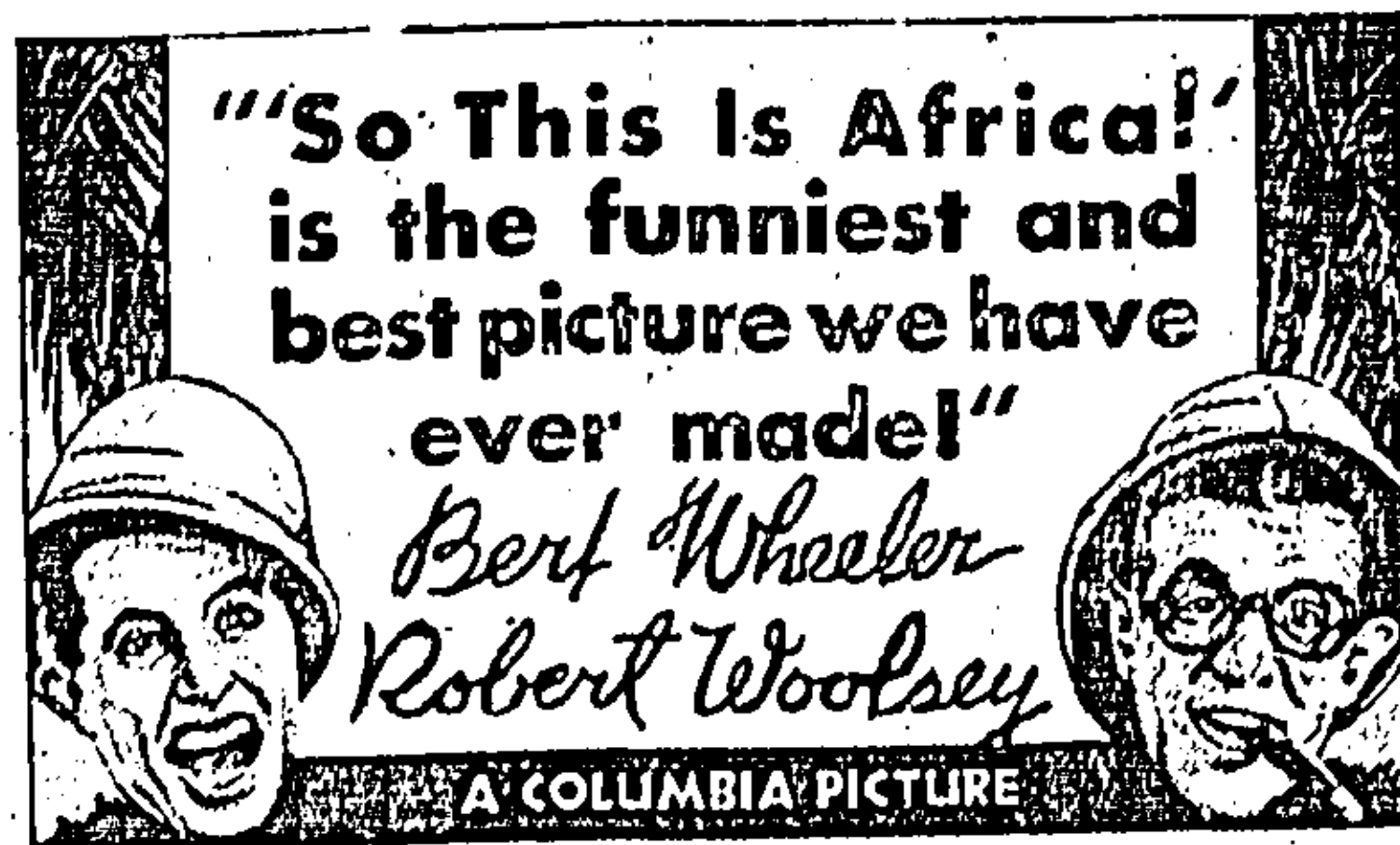
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SANITARY BOARD MEETING
**Pokfulam Village
Sale Of Food.**
GENERAL EXHUMATION

The Sanitary Board meeting will be held on Tuesday at 4.15. The following is the agenda:

1. Letter from Government relative to the naming of Pokfulam Village as a village where the sale of food outside markets is prohibited.

2. Motion by the Medical Officer of Health relative to the erection of one room or closet partitioned off from the remainder of each floor of tenement houses to contain a privy or urinal.

3. Minute by the President relative to the taking over of general exhumation by the Sanitary Department from the Tung Wah Hospital.

4. Minute by the President relative to nightsoil removal from premises in the Peak District.

5. Minute by the President relative to the provision of an additional Health District in Wanchai.

6. Minute by the President relative to the departmental limewashing.

7. Application for an eating house licence at No. 77, Des Vaux Road Central, ground floor.

8. Application for the registration of No. 39, Jardine's Bazaar, ground floor, as a dairy.

9. Application for the registration of No. 65, Temple Street, ground floor, as a dairy.

10. Application for the registration of No. 49, Portland Street, ground floor, as a dairy.

11. Application for the registration of No. 72, Temple Street, ground floor, as a dairy.

12. Application for the registration of No. 711, Shanghai Street, ground floor, as a dairy.

13. Application for the registration of No. 8, Irving Street, ground floor, as a dairy.

14. Application for the registration of No. 444, Hennessy Road, ground floor, as a dairy.

15. Regular Returns:—

(a) Rat Return for the weeks ending 7th and 14th July, 1934.

(b) Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports from the Honourable Director of Medical and Sanitary Services for the weeks ending 7th and 14th July, 1934.

(c) Health Return from the League of Nations, Eastern Bureau, for the weeks ending 23rd and 30th June, 1934.

(d) Mortality Return for Hong Kong for the thirteen weeks ending 24th June, 1934, and for the weeks ending 1st, 8th and 15th July, 1934.

JURY ORDINANCE AMENDED.
**Absentees Omitted
From Ballot.**

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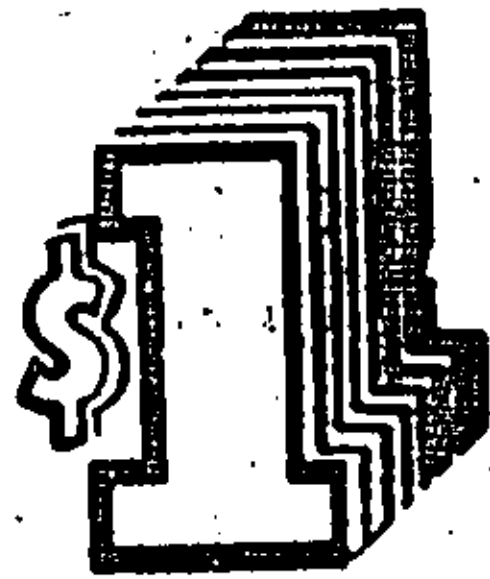
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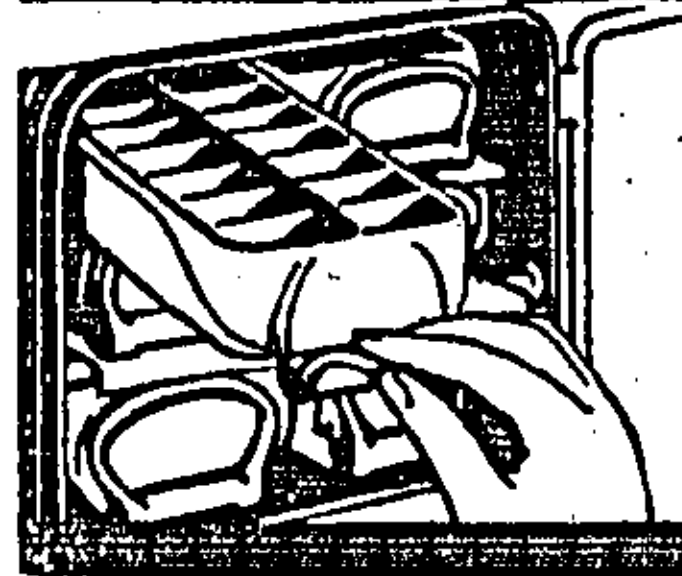
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HUNGARIAN ARTIST TALKS ON AUSTRIA

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Panama; then New York again; then South Africa, where he designed and decorated eleven of the largest new cinemas, and founded the South African School of Applied Art.

He has also done a good deal of illustration work for the Press, and painted many portraits.

The *Sunday Herald* has been fortunate enough to secure Mr. Konya's services to sketch a number of Hong Kong notables. To-day the series commences with a study of himself.

MANY YEARS IN VIENNA
As a resident in Vienna for many years Mr. Konya has taken a vital interest in the recent trouble in that city, and has been able to throw light on the nature of the people, and on the circumstances leading up to the climax last week.

Before the war Austria and Hungary were a united country, governed by the Hapsburgs, and although separated in certain respects they had the same finance minister and the same war minister. The total population was in the neighbourhood of 40,000,000.

After the war they became separate countries, Hungary lost half her territory, and had her population reduced to 10,000,000. Austria, if anything, was in a worse case. Her population was reduced to 6,000,000, half of whom lived in Vienna. Her territory was split up and given in part to Czechoslovakia and Italy.

Bohemia, the part of the country which went to Czechoslovakia, was the industrial centre of the land. It's mountains contained rich minerals, and its streams provided water power to drive mills and machinery.

SHORTAGE OF FOOD
This was not the worst aspect of the problem. The part of Austria which remained was not rich in agriculture, and there was, in many parts, a shortage of grain.

Vienna, the remaining industrial centre, depends almost entirely on luxury business for its living, and the post-war depression has caused poverty to creep deeper and deeper into the heart of the city.

Before the war Vienna was the clearing house for German trade in Austria and eastern Europe. Those days have gone by, and that trade has also been lost.

The majority of the population in Vienna is of the labouring class and, naturally, the city is almost entirely socialist. A socialistic city government has almost always been elected, and they have done much in clearing away slums and improving the city.

The remaining population of Austria is comprised of small capitalists, farmers, and rural workers, who are, almost without

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Mr. A. F. Konya, as drawn by himself. This talented artist who discusses the Austrian situation on Page 1, will sketch leading Colony residents for the *Sunday Herald*.

exception, attached to the Catholic Socialist Party. They are conservative, peaceable, and have always been anti-semitic, and opposed to the Socialist party.

HACKENKREUZLER PARTY
After the war a further party sprang up in Vienna, named the Hackenkreuzler, comprised mainly of students. Hackenkreuzler means Swastika, and it was from the small nucleus of this party that the German Nazi party originally sprang. Hitler was an Austrian by birth, and imported the Hackenkreuzler to Germany.

This party has always supported what is known as the Anschluss, or the movement to join Austria with Germany.

This leaves Austria with three diametrically opposed parties. The Hackenkreuzler are pro-German and pro-Nazi, the Socialist party would not mind joining Germany, but are opposed to Nazism, and the Catholic Socialists are opposed to Germany, and German Nazism, but favourable towards Mussolini and Fascism.

Neither of these parties is strong enough to take the lead in the country. Things are made worse in Vienna by the fact that there are thousands of men, of ages ranging up to 27, who have never worked. The result is that they are shiftless and prepared to join any party or trouble which might bring them benefit.

NAZISM NOT FAVOURED
The programme of the late Dr. Dollfuss was not to entertain Nazism in Austria, but leaned towards Mussolini and Fascism.

The impression gained from Mr. Konya is that Mussolini is opposed to Hitler gaining any control of Austria, through the Anschluss, as this would give Germany too much control of the Adriatic, hence the recent uprising in Vienna. It is really, Nazi against Fascist. There is no difference in the political views of the two parties, but a difference in their views of international politics.

While these three parties are opposed in Austria, Mr. Konya thinks there will always be trouble. It is unlikely that Mussolini will step in and take control of the country, even if invited to do so by the Catholic Socialist Party.

Since the War, France has invested a large amount of capital along the Danube, which is an international waterway, and Italy is probably wary of doing anything which is likely to give France any excuse to start further trouble.

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DESPERATE DRIVE BY COMMUNISTS

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and killed over 2,000 Communists altogether, but the casualties of the Government troops were not stated.

According to the same Amoy reports, General Chiang Ting-wen, Commander-in-Chief of Nanking troops in Fukien, has halted the drive on Changting, the Communist stronghold in Western Fukien. In view of the critical conditions, General Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, has ordered the Ministry of Navy to have sufficient warships to patrol the Fukien coast in order to prevent the Reds from securing supplies.

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His court-craft was superb, outgeneralling Shields times beyond number, while his driving retained all the accuracy and devastating power that he revealed in the first two sets.

Shields, America's leading player, was bewildered by the sensational display given by Austin and bowed to a world-beater by 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

PERRY'S FINE OPENING
Fred Perry opened most confidently against Sidney Wood, jumping into a 3-0 lead, during which period he dropped only four points.

A high wind caused the dust from the service line to swirl disconcerting, but the British player settled down at once to the tennis which gave him the Wimbledon title.

Wood completely failed to get going in the first set, and, after Perry had secured his commanding lead, the American was content to take only one game in the set.

WOOD SETTLES DOWN

Wood, however, settled down in the second set when he found his length and forced Perry from the net with deep lobbing on his backhand. Perry, however, refused to give up his net attack, and repeatedly advanced to engage in a tense volleying duel.

Perry led 3-2, but Wood then played inspired tennis, firmly establishing himself at the net where he tucked away crisp backhand volleys and smashed brilliantly to leave the British player standing with unretrievable shots on both wings.

Perry was stung to retaliation and the game developed into a tremendous battle before Wood levelled the match at 6-4.

PERRY'S RECOVERY
The British player led 4-2 in the third set, but Wood crept up to 4-all and broke through Perry's service in the eleventh game to go out at 7-5 for the lead.

Wood, however, eased up in the fourth set and Perry swept through without the loss of a game to level the match once again.

Perry broke through Wood's service three times in the final set and eventually won a thrilling match at 6-3, after leading 4-1—Reuter.

REMAINING GAMES
The concluding programme is as follows:

To-morrow
F. J. Perry and G. P. Hughes v G. M. Lott and L. R. Stoecken.

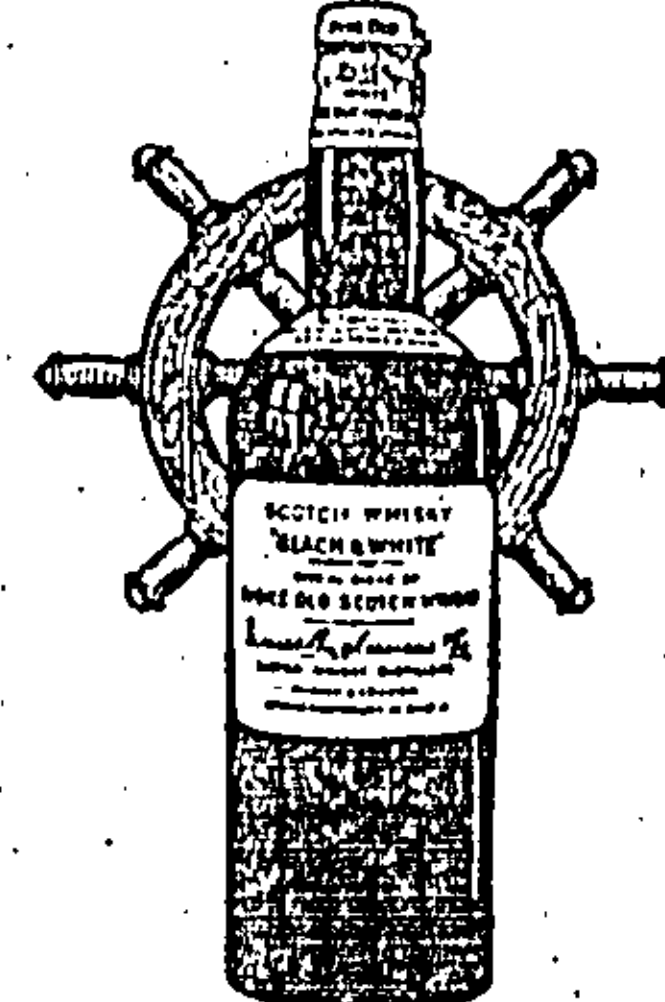
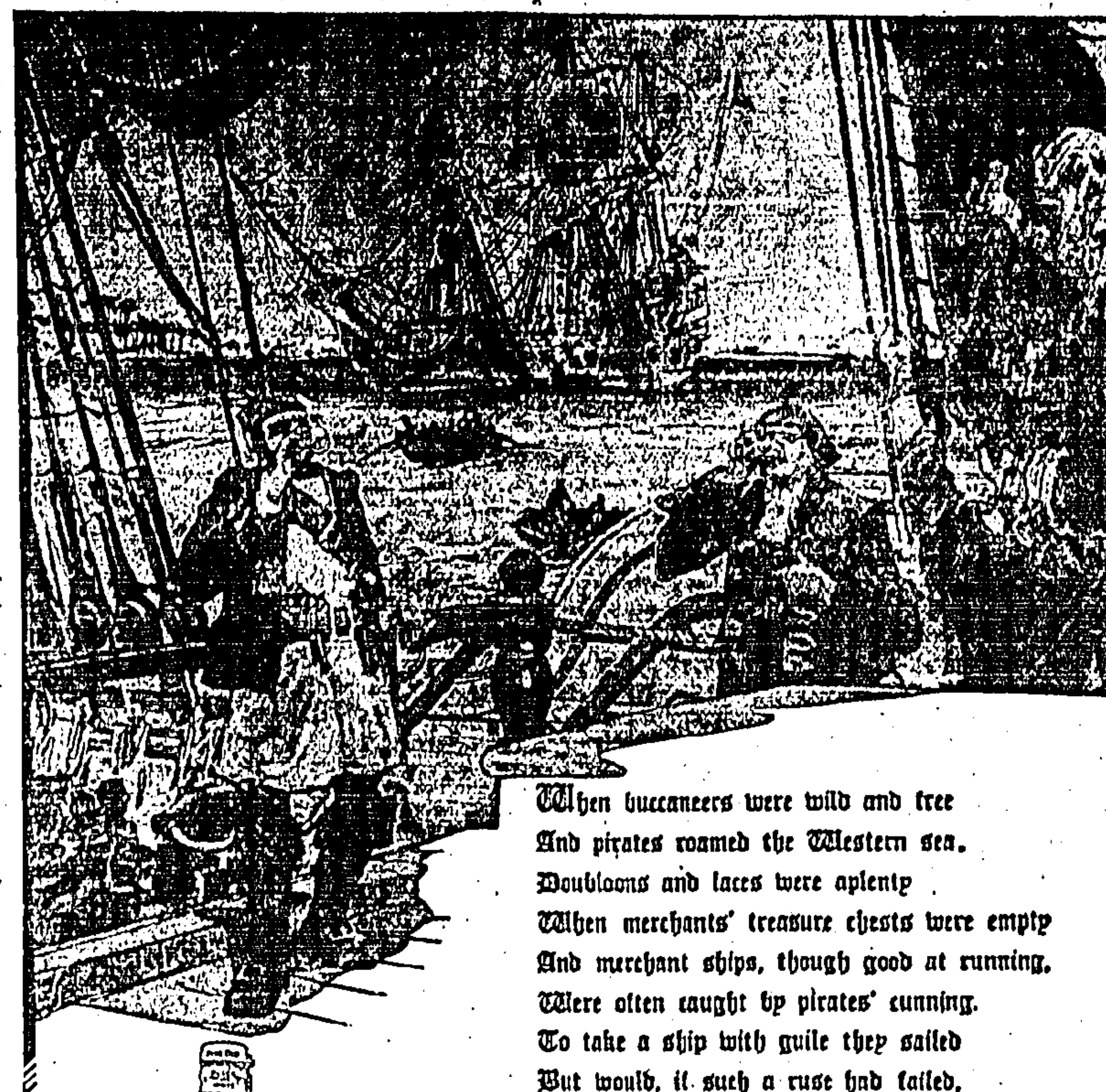
Tuesday
F. J. Perry v F. X. Shields
H. W. Austin v S. B. Wood

FRED PERRY won the Wimbledon title this year when he beat Jack Crawford, the holder, in straight sets. He is the holder of the American, Australian, Victorian, and Bournemouth championships, having met Crawford in all four finals. At Wimbledon this year he beat Sidney Wood in five sets in the Semi-Final Round, though the critics state that it was only due to the American's over-confidence.

RUNNY AUSTIN, Britain's No. 1 ranking player, before Perry dethroned him as the result of his superlative play against America and France in the Davis Cup last year, reached the Final at Wimbledon in 1932 when he was swept off the court by the whirlwind play of Ellsworth Vines. He was beaten by the late Jiro Satoh in the Semi-Final last year, and this year, when a firm favourite, lost to Frank Shields in five sets, after winning the first two sets and being 3-1 in the third and 30-love on his service at 5-4 in the fifth and final set.

FRANK SHIELDS, 1931 Wimbledon finalist and the only player in the history of the famous tournament to concede a walk-over (an injured knee and the proximity of the Davis Cup Inter-Zone Final was responsible), is America's No. 1 ranking player, following a remarkable comeback this year. He was beaten at Wimbledon this year by Crawford after taking the first two sets in their Semi-Final game. He is reported to be fitter this year than he has ever been.

SIDNEY WOOD, 1931 Wimbledon champion on a walk-over from Shields, might very easily have advanced to the Final this year had he not light-heartedly thrown the first set away to Perry in the Semi-Final Round. Though he easily vanquished McGrath in the First Round at Wimbledon this year he gave American supporters a fright by losing to the Australian boy prodigy in the Inter-Zone Final. He, however, made up for his lapse by surprising Crawford in four sets in the critical match of the series.



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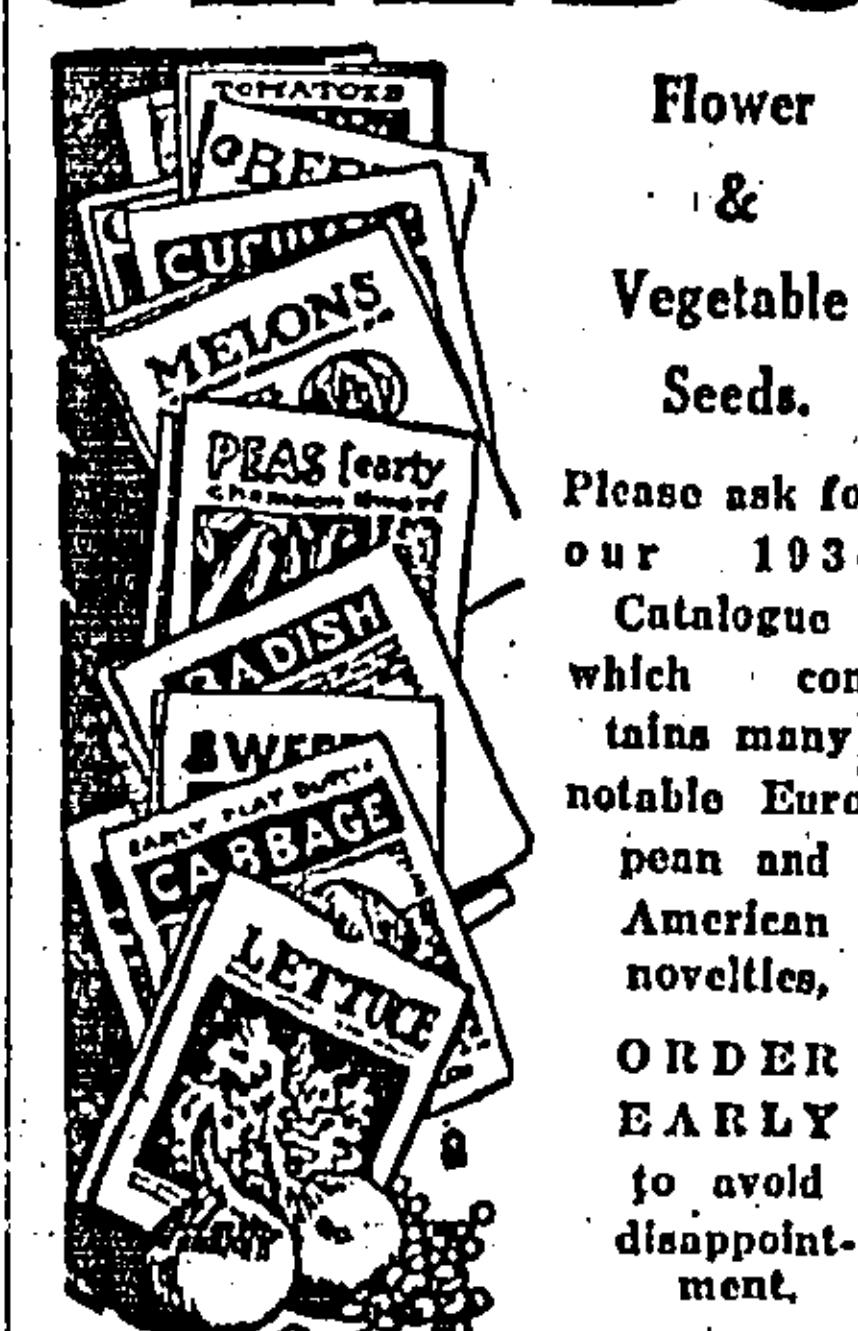
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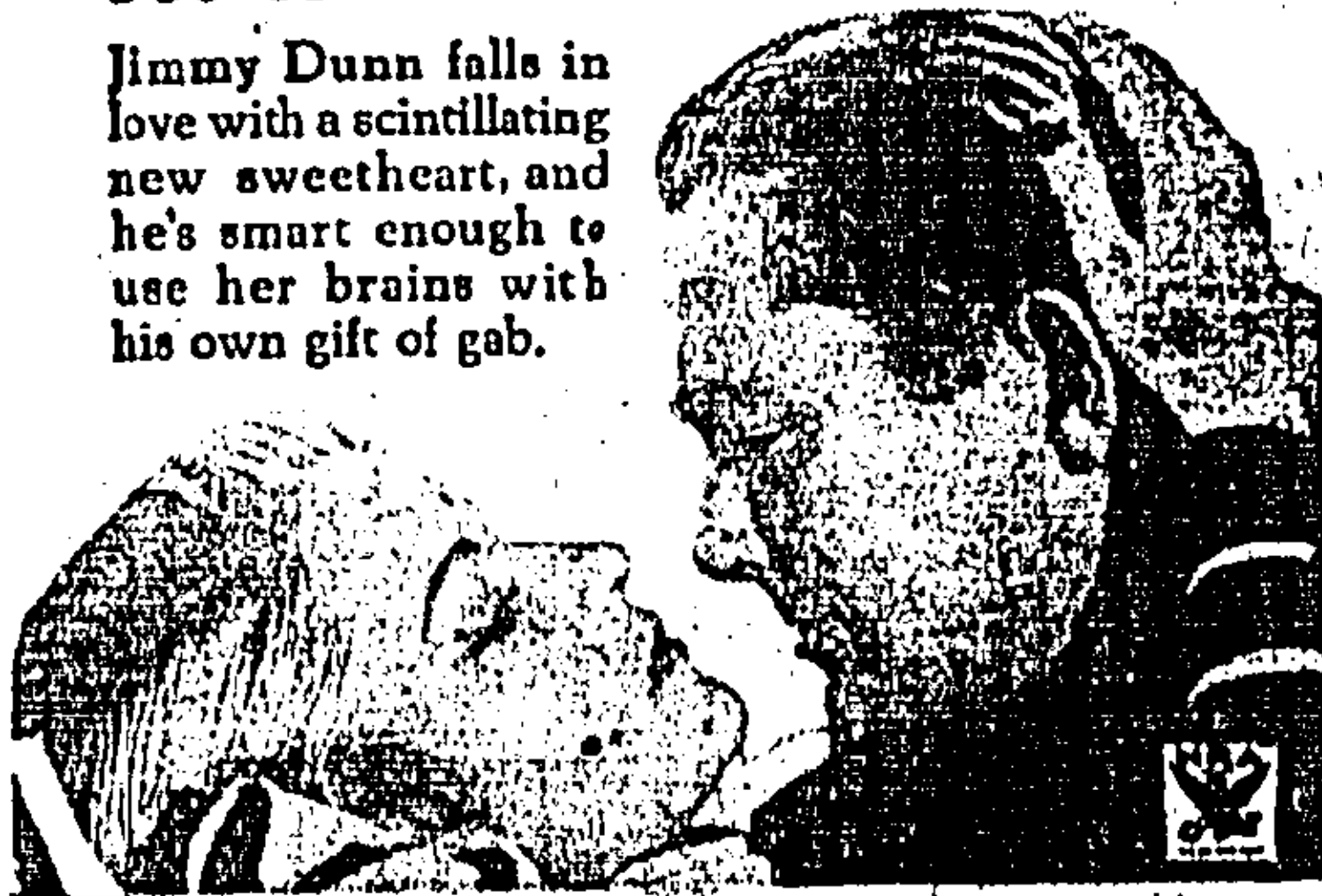
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THE TREASURE

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"Quite. It's buried so many feet from that chestnut tree near your neighbour's wall. Lucky that a house wasn't built on my little hiding-place." And after a significant silence—"I'll give you a bit for letting me dig for my money."

M. Mouquerin rose, and fell to thoughtfully pacing the floor. At last, in a voice that was not quite convincing—

"Do you actually think I would take stolen money?"

"It was taken a long time ago," replied Lourdet.

"It's still stolen money."

"Scarcely. Old Dumoulin is dead. Another company is running the business. How could one find the owner of the money after all these years?"

Neither of the Mouquerins answered. While awaiting a reply, Lourdet contemptuously looked at the cheap wall-paper, the mass-produced furniture, the frightening pictures and the tasteless carpet. This inspection irked Mme. Mouquerin.

"Do you think we'll be your accomplices?" she cried. "We should really tell the police about you."

"What good would that do?" asked Lourdet, shrugging his shoulders. "If you'll keep your mouths shut, I'll give you fifty thousand for the potatoes I have ruined."

M. Mouquerin, however, resented this indifferent offer.

"Fifty thousand francs!" he cried. "What do you think of that, Helene! He gets four hundred thousand, and has the cheek to offer us a mere fifty thousand!"

Lourdet smiled an ingratiating smile.

"Don't upset yourselves," he said. "I haven't said my last word. I'll go as far as a hundred thousand. And don't you forget that a hundred thousand francs is a tidy sum....What about it?"

"Nothing doing," said M. Mouquerin, after a silence. "You'd better try to bribe the police."

"What! You talk like that after I've been honest with you and put my cards on the table?" And as he seemed to make no impression on the man he turned to the woman. "What about it, Madame? You will treat me fairly and squarely?"

Mme. Mouquerin appeared to reflect. Her eyes, that suggested an old bird of prey, seemed to stare at something invisible. At long last she spoke.

"Half," she said, with decision. "We won't accept less than half. Isn't that so, Victor?"

M. Mouquerin nodded assent.

Lourdet, however, lost his head.

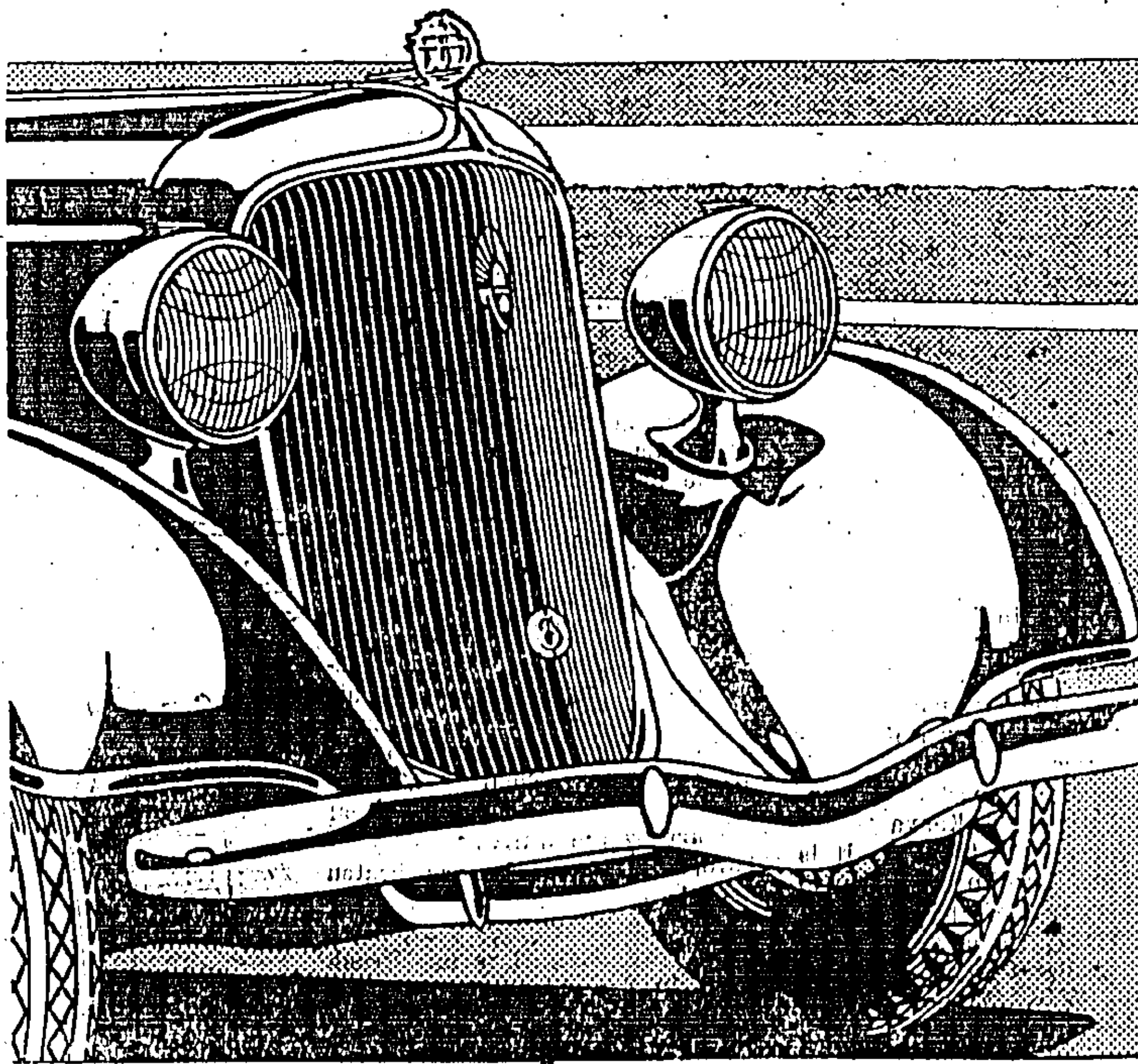
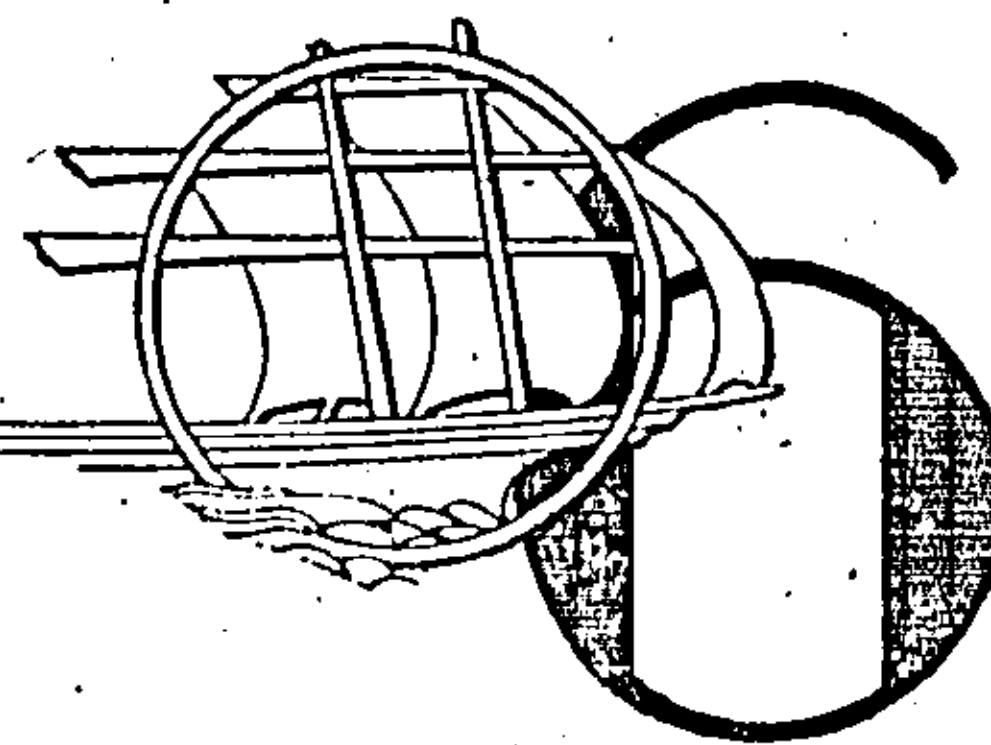
"Half! Half! Half!" he cried wildly. "Are you mad?...If you think I passed all those hellish years in Guiana to come back and share with you, you're jolly well mistaken. And that's all there is to it."

"Half," repeated Mme. Mouquerin mechanically. "And please don't forget that if we want to we can stick to the lot."

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NEW SHIPMENT ARRIVING EARLY NEXT MONTH.

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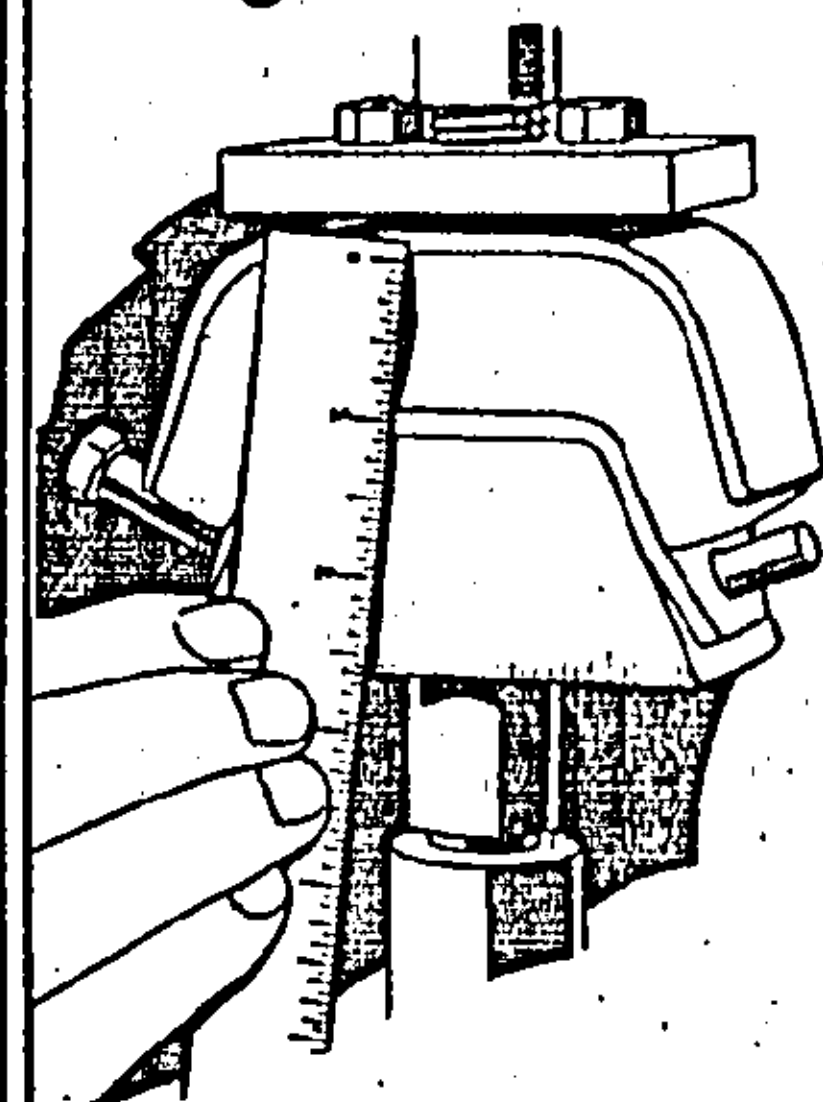
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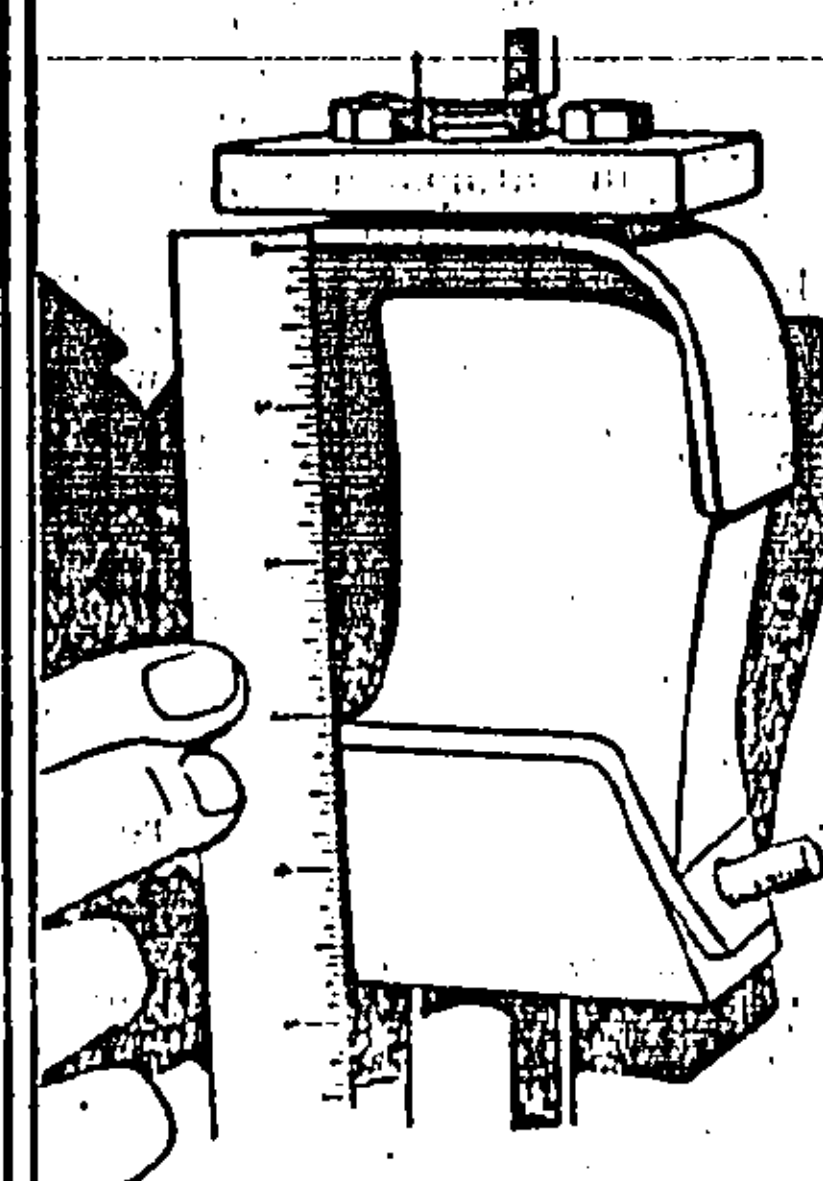
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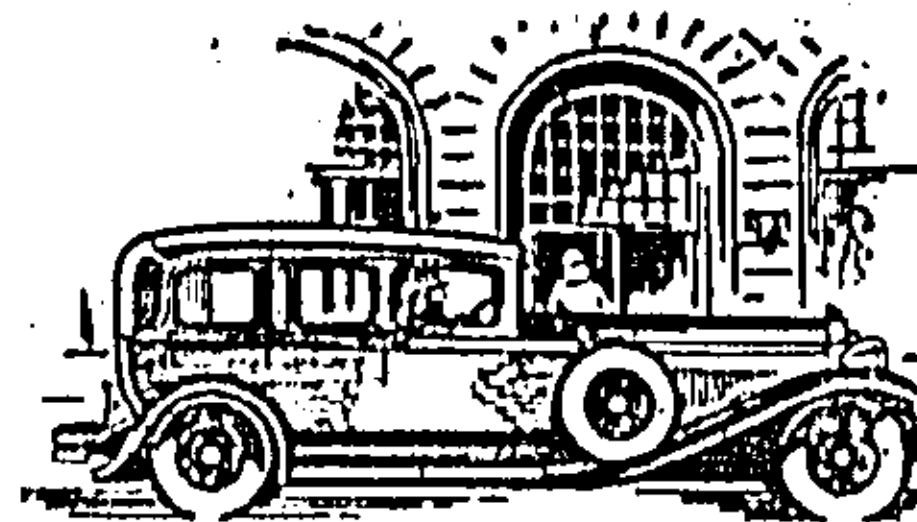


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The cars were uncrated and completely assembled. The Nitonian usually docks at Liverpool, but her destination was changed to London for the delivery of her present cargo.

FORD CARS AND TRUCKS

Improvements On The
New V-8.

New Ford V-8 trucks and commercial cars, powered with the 80 horse power Ford V-8 engines are now on display to-day at the local Ford dealer's showrooms.

New full-floating rear axle, improvements in the special type V-8 truck engine and newly designed front end are among the features of the 1934 Ford V-8 truck. Rear springs are of the double-shockled semi-elliptic type. A wide range of body types, from the pickup and station wagon on the commercial chassis, through the various panel deliveries and stake bodies to the heavy duty express and dump trucks, is provided to meet the widest variety of commercial hauling requirements.

Increased Strength

Not only is the new rear axle of the full-floating type but increased strength has been built into the entire rear end design. The axle housings now carry the entire load, as well as all stresses and side thrusts, leaving the axle shafts to perform their single primary function of driving the wheels. The shafts can be readily removed for service without jacking up the truck.

The sturdy driving pinion is straddle-mounted. Larger pinion shaft and pinion bearings with positive lubrications, wider, stronger teeth on the driving pinion and ring gear, proper spacing of differential gears to equalize bearing pressure, heavier axle housing and more rigid differential housing are among the improvements in the new axle design which increase reliability and reduce maintenance costs. The differential housing is heavily ribbed to resist deflection of the ring gear and the thrust plate which resist deflection of this gear under sudden strains is larger in surface.

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Inserts of a wear-resisting alloy steel are used in the exhaust valve seats. These resist the extreme heat of exhaust gases and contribute to operating efficiency and low cost of engine maintenance. Water jackets, which extend to the bottom of the cylinders and along the crankcase walls, not only cool the engine but maintain proper oil temperature. Water line thermostats help to warm the engine quickly in cold weather and thus minimize crankcase oil dilution. All these features contribute to better performance and increased fuel and oil economy.

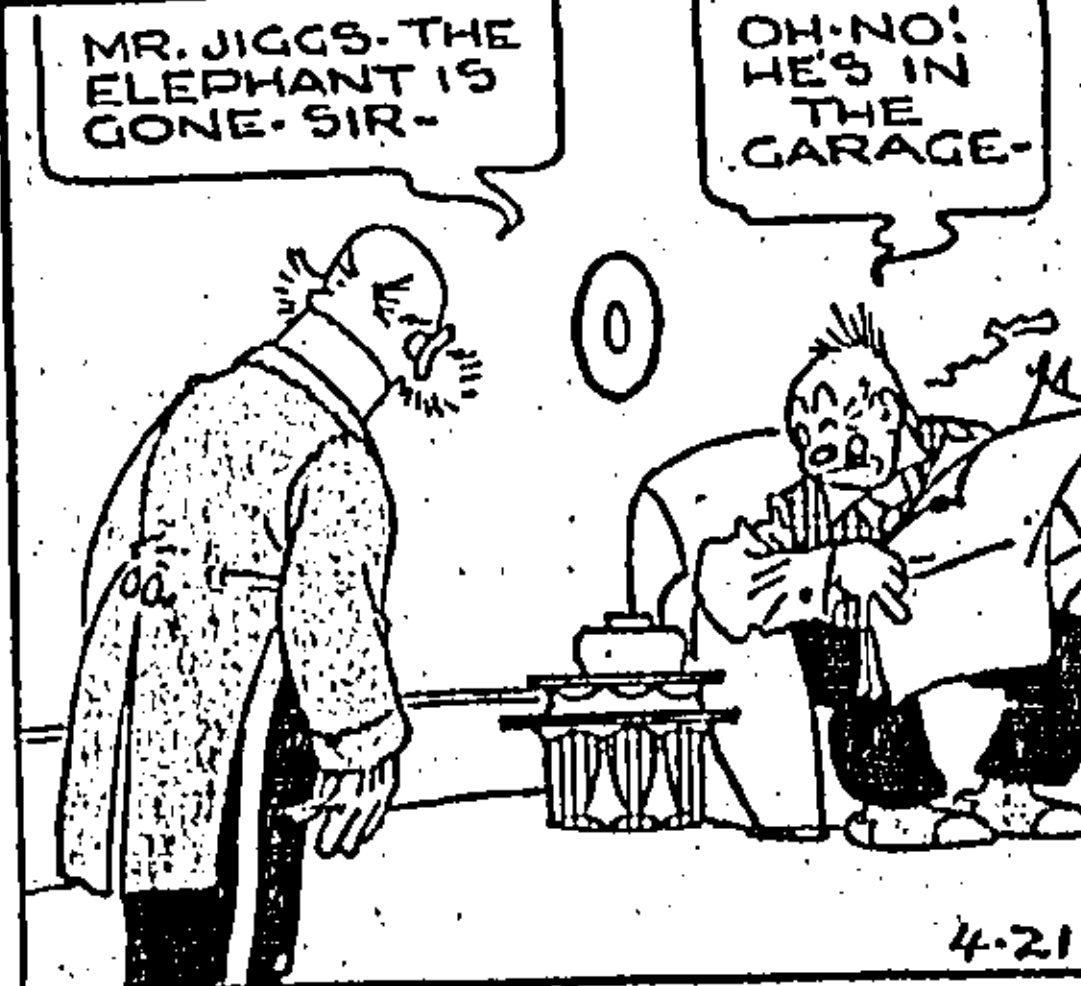
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Remarkable British
Car Economy.

To the many records standing to the credit of British cars can now be added that for economical travel. According to preliminary figures issued by the R.A.C. of an observed test, seven persons have been conveyed 1,727 miles for a total expenditure of 55 5s. Their railway fares at the summer penny-a-mile rate would have come to £50 7s. 5d.

The car, a seven-seater Hillman limousine, of 21 h.p. rating, was driven at normal touring speeds all round England. No repairs or attention was needed, and the five guineas was expended solely on petrol, oil and grease. The seven passengers weighed in all 76 stone.

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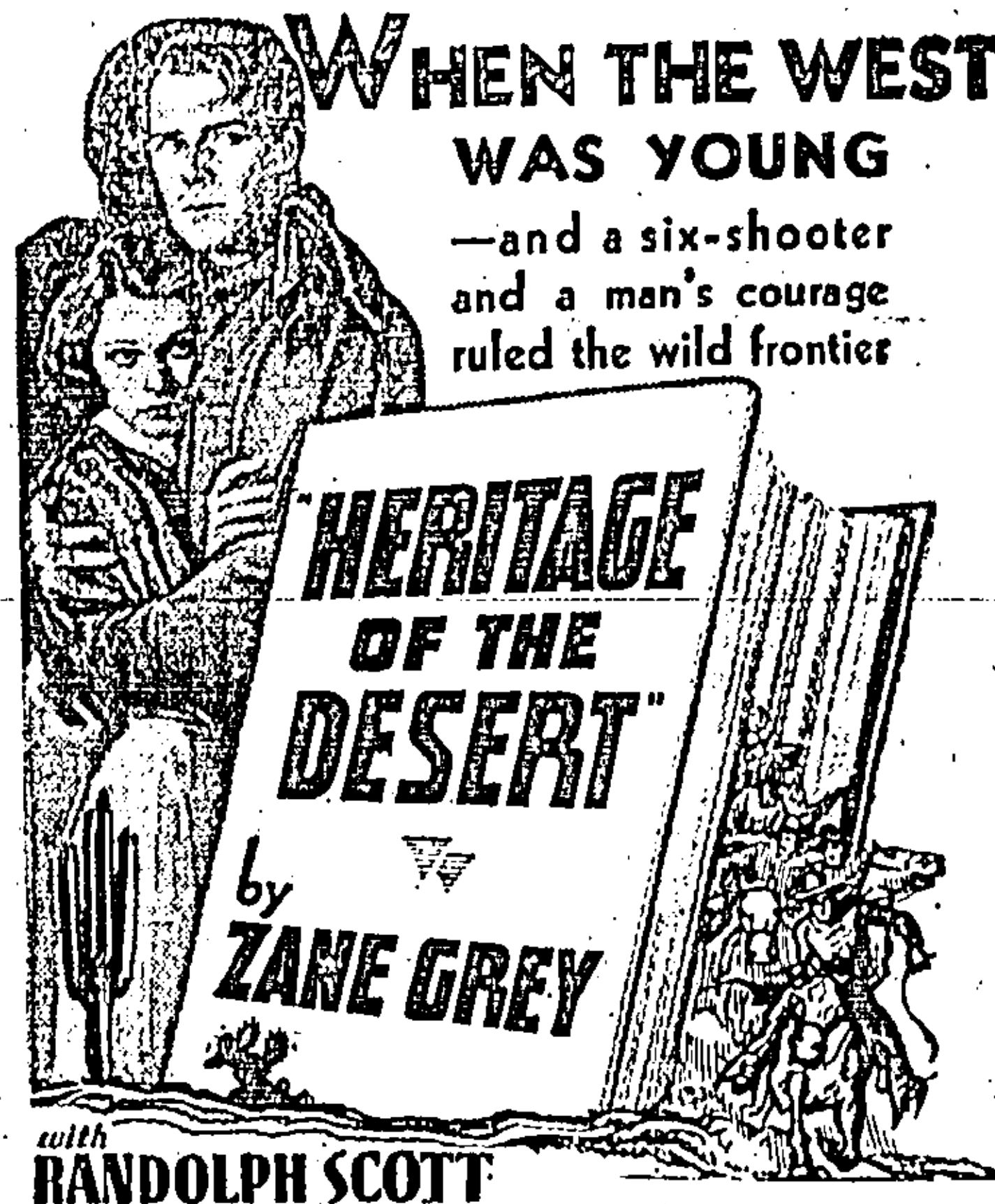


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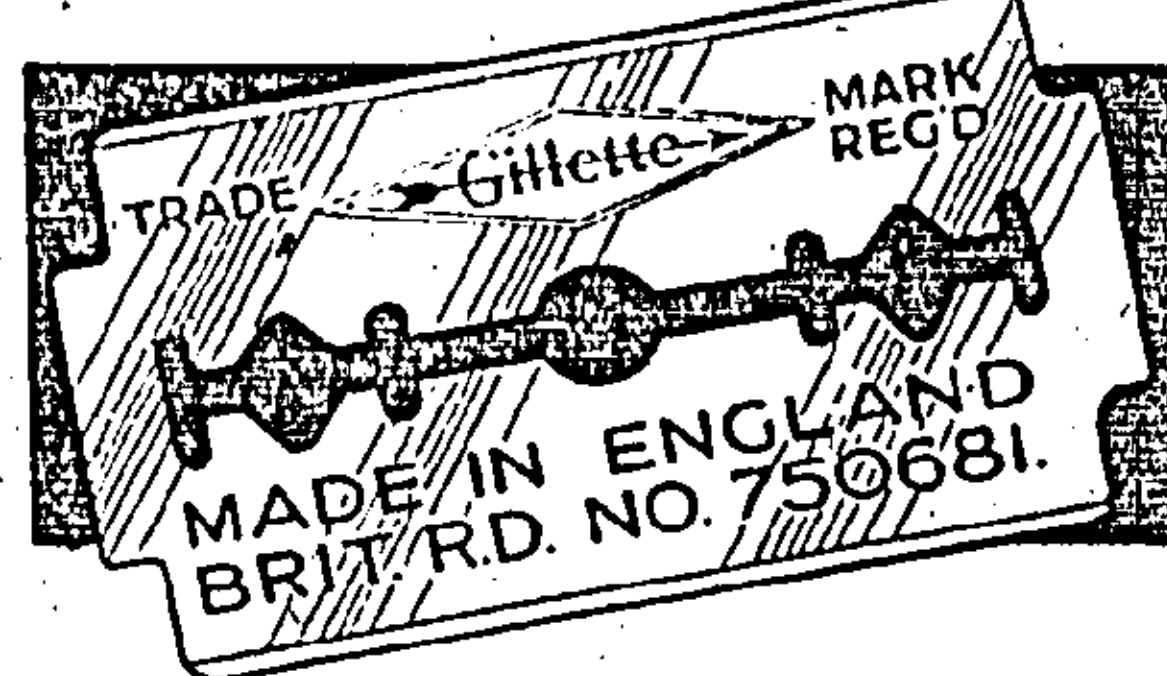
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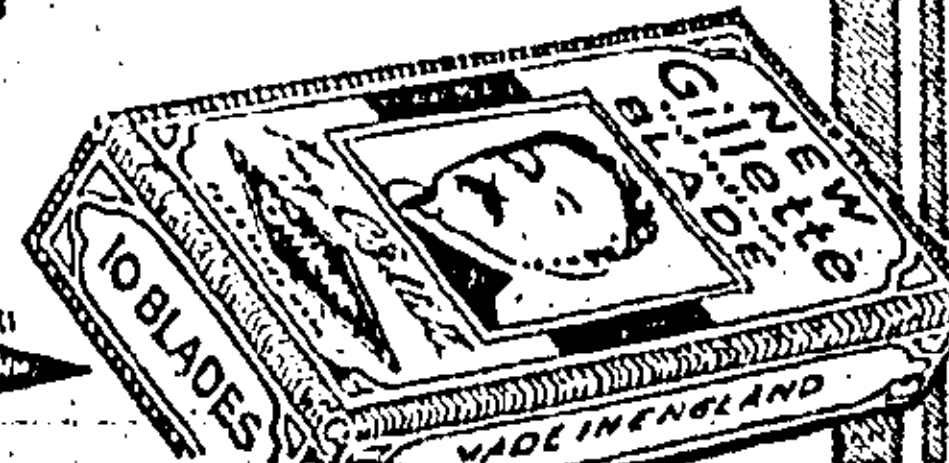
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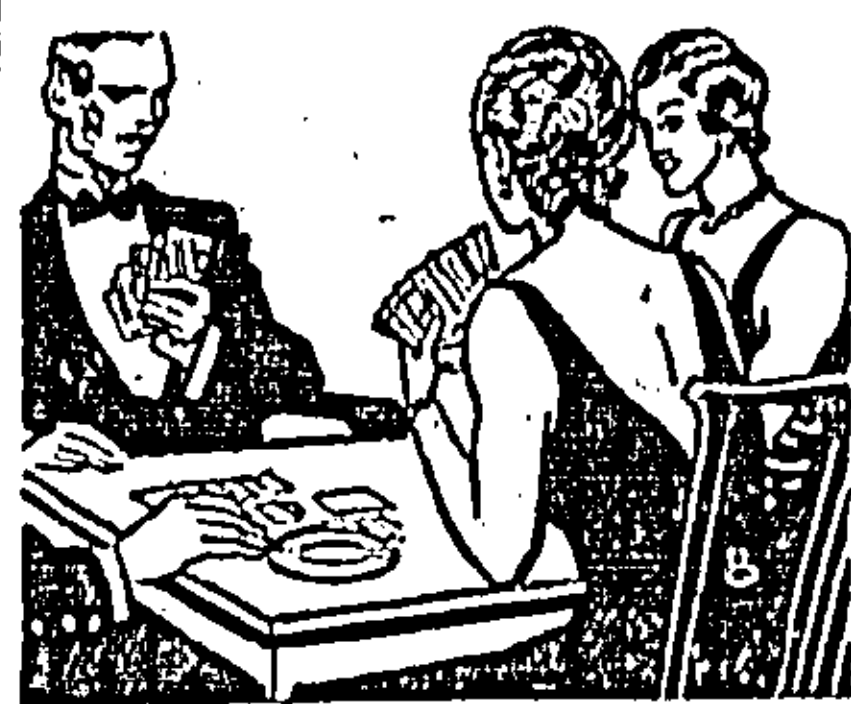


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Accurate No-trump Bidding.

(By LADY RHODES)

In the play of a suit contract, success depends as much on length as on honour tricks. It is often possible to make game with comparatively few high cards. Such a hand, for instance as:

S—A Q 9 6 2
H—A K 7 4 3
D—J 10 5

is extremely strong, and will yield a game with very little support from the partner.

But when both the declarer and partner hold hands of no-trump pattern, success depends almost entirely on the high cards. There are no small cards to bring in, except for an occasional "thirteenth."

It is for this reason that the point count, which gives a definite value to the higher cards, whether or not they are held in combination, is useful for no-trump bids, raises and re-bids.

The valuation is:
Ace 4 pts. Queen ... 2 pts.
King ... 3 " Knave ... 1 pt.
The raises and re-bids are based on the theory that 22 points in the combined hands justify a try for two no-trumps and 25 points for three.

The Minimum Number

Opinions vary as to the number of points needed for an opening bid of one no-trump; some players say 13, others 14. It will be seen that even 13 points rules out the call on three bare aces. If the minimum opening is 14 points, the partner should raise to 2 with 8, and to 3 with 11. If a minimum of 13 is preferred, the raises must be on 9 and 12 points. If a player opens with one no-trump and her partner raises to two, she is justified in re-bidding if holding two points above the minimum.

Example
North with South with
S—K Q 4 S—8 6 5
H—A Q 6 H—K 7 5
D—K 10 8 D—A 5 3 2
C—8 6 5 4 C—Q 10 3
bids one no-trump raises to two
North with a bare 14 points must not re-bid. If, however, her hand has two or three points in addition, say, the queen of diamonds or the king of clubs, she should re-bid to three. If her extra card is the queen of diamonds, it will be seen that the contract is somewhat risky, and for this reason it is better not to re-bid when vulnerable without having all the suits guarded.

When Caution Is Needed

If vulnerable, also, it is better not to open one no-trump with less than 15 points.

Had South held
S—J 6 5 D—A J 3 2
H—K 7 5 C—Q 10 3
she would have raised her partner's opening bid of one no-trump to three.

For an opening bid of two no-trumps 18 points are necessary, and

THE TREASURE (Continued From page 16.)

"You can stick to the lot, can you?" yelled the criminal. "Get on with it, then. But I warn you that when I've got through the little I have I'll be down on you like a ton of bricks...."

Suddenly he calmed himself, while husband and wife wondered why the storm had blown out. Then he said, as though to remove the effect of his threats—

"Besides, neither of you know just where to look for the money. You can't dig over the whole of your garden without being noticed by your neighbours...." And after a silence, "I accept.... Halves....Do you agree?"

The Mouquerins slowly nodded assent.
"Right," said Lourdet. "Shall we start work?"
"Not to-night," replied M. Mouquerin. "It's too late. It will be light in an hour. But if you feel like it to-morrow...."

Interesting MARS MADE OF SAME STUFF.

Does the sky on Mars look red, and would the Martian air be poisonous to us?

The sky would probably look blue because spectroscopic examinations of the air of Mars show that it is evidently made of the same chemicals as ours, and that the polar snow caps which melt each summer are made of frozen water.

We should therefore not be poisoned by Mars' air. The sky looks blue to us because of the air through which the sunlight comes.
The last balloon ascent into the stratosphere recorded that twelve miles up the air was so thin that the sky looked purple-black.

all suits should be guarded. Strictly speaking, the partner needs seven points for a raise, but in practice it should be given on six. Here, though the opener only guarantees 18 points, she may have 19 or more, and if her partner does not give her a raise on 6, game may be missed, as it is unlikely that the fourth hand will disturb the bidding.

Here is an example of an opening two-bid and raise:

North with South with
S—K Q 4 D—K Q 8
H—A 10 4 C—A J 7 4
bids 2 no-trumps.
South with
S—8 6 5 D—A 4 3 2
H—6 7 5 C—Q 10 3
raises to three.

Here, is North only bids one no-trump, her partner cannot raise her. With reasonable luck, the hands should yield nine tricks; one spade, one heart, three diamonds, and three clubs, with the extra trick from spades, diamonds, or clubs. Even if North lacks the knave of clubs, so that there are only 24 points in the two hands, there is still a good chance for game.

For an opening of three no-trumps great strength is desirable: at least 22 points. The danger here is that the partner may have a completely worthless hand.

"To-morrow night, then. Not in daylight. I might be spotted by people I know in these parts. And we don't want to be seen by neighbours digging a hole...."

"Please yourself," said Mouquerin. "Come at ten. I'll leave the door at the end of the garden unlocked. Then you needn't ring."

"Right," said Lourdet.

M. and Mme. Mouquerin accompanied him to the front door as though he were an old friend.

The following night M. and Mme. Mouquerin sat silently near an open window, their eyes on the door of the garden. They had sat there since dinner. Slowly, inevitably, darkness had invaded the room, then the garden, and lastly the sky. Silence had accompanied the ultimate darkness; a silence infrequently broken by the barking of dogs. Somewhere in the house a clock fustily struck the hour.

"Ten o'clock!" whispered Mme. Mouquerin. "I wonder if he'll come!"

"Don't you worry. He'll come right enough."
Suspense laid a heavy hand on the minutes. At last they heard the garden door open. Mme. Mouquerin sighed her relief.

M. Mouquerin got on to his feet. "Understand this," he said sternly. "You stay here. We can manage quite well without you."
Mme. Mouquerin was alone. She perceived two figures together in the garden. One of them displayed what seemed to be a folding yard measure. With this they went over the ground, without any heed for the lettuce and tomatoes, until they stopped at the end of the garden.

A deeper darkness hid them from view. But noises borne to her ears gave indications of what they were doing. There were murmurs of voices; the breaking of a branch; the sound of digging.

Ten minutes must have passed when a light lit the garden. It was followed by a sharp detonation. A frightening scream tore Mme. Mouquerin's ears—a scream that was scarcely human. The garden was lit up again; and she heard another report.

Then there was silence; a stark silence which could almost be heard. Time seemed to stand still. And the blood appeared to freeze in her veins as she hastened into the garden. But she was a strong-minded woman, so mastered her emotion. Soon she confronted her husband.

"What has happened?" she cried. "Where is HE?"

M. Mouquerin pointed to a corpse on the ground.
"He is dead," he said, in a scarcely recognisable voice. "Go in.... You don't know anything."

Mme. Mouquerin obeyed. But the neighbours, alarmed by the shots, came to the house to learn what had happened.

M. Mouquerin ushered them into the garden, and showed them the corpse.

"I found him getting over the garden wall," he explained. "When he saw me he went for me, and I fired."

The neighbours bent over the body. One of them raised an arm that heavily dropped.

"That's that," he said. "One rogue the less."

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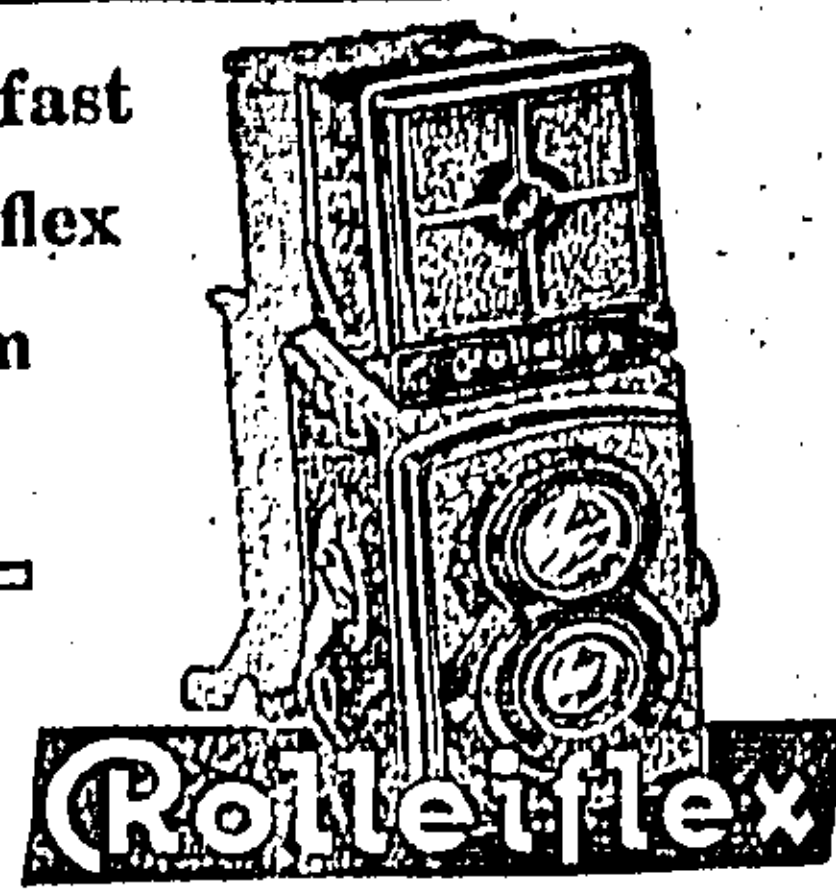


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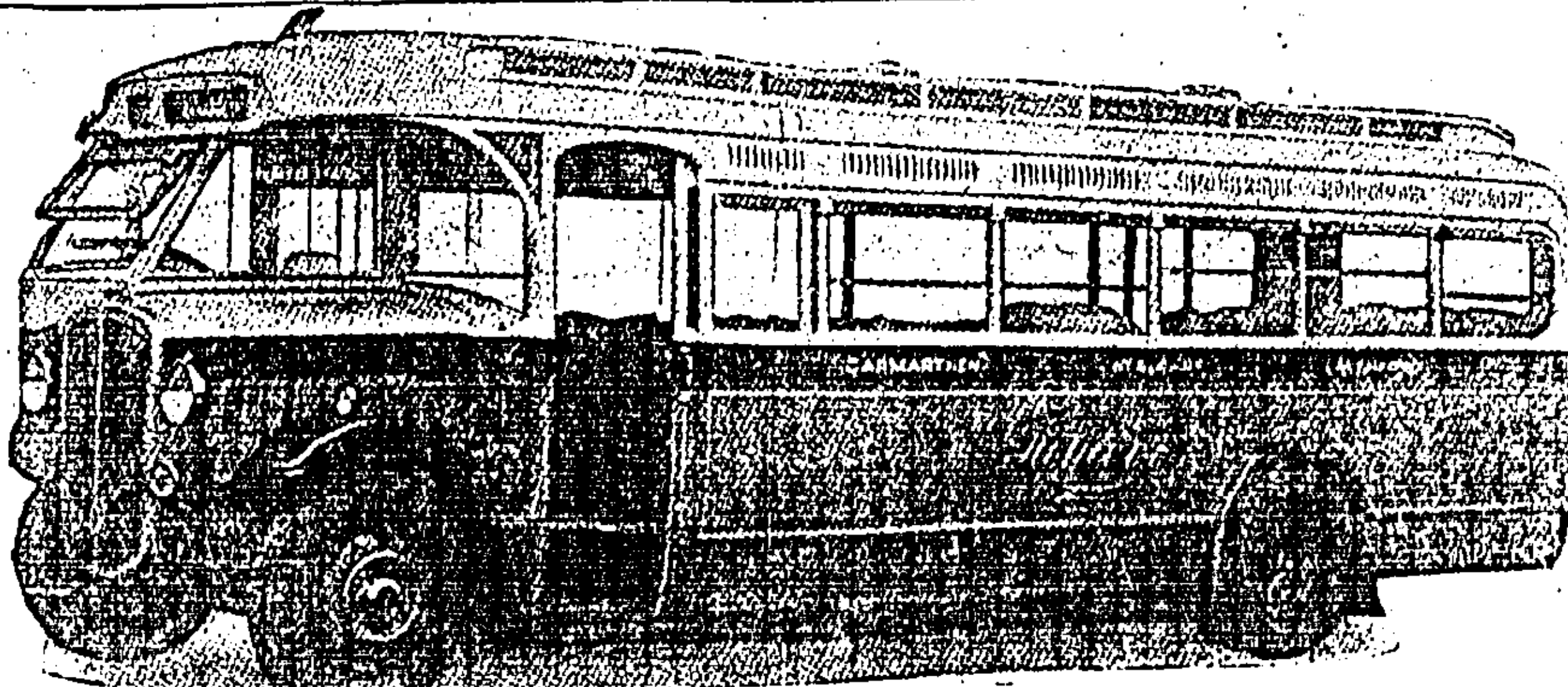
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HEAVY OIL ENGINE BUSES FOR KOWLOON



One of the new Thornycroft "Cygnel" 40 h.p. high-speed heavy oil engine motor-buses which will shortly be operated by the Kowloon Motor Bus Company. These buses arrived in the Colony last Wednesday, and are now being assembled. They are expected to be on the road in six weeks.

37-SEATER BODIES

NEW TYPE OF ENGINE FOR HONG KONG

SPONGE RUBBER SEATS.

EXPECTED TO OPERATE IN SIX WEEKS

In order to cope with the ever increasing passenger traffic on the mainland the Kowloon Motor Bus Company recently purchased four new Thornycroft "Cygnel" 37-seater buses of the most up to date type. The new machines arrived in Hong Kong by the s.s. Ranpara on Wednesday, and were unpacked on Friday. The chassis are already assembled awaiting the bodies.

It is expected that they will be on the road in six weeks' time.

The buses are fitted with Gardner high-speed oil engines, of the vertical, four-cycle, compression-ignition type.

The principle of these engines is similar to that of the Diesel engine, requiring no magneto or spark ignition, the fuel ignition being caused solely by the heat generated by compression.

The fuel is injected into the combustion chamber by an injection pump, which forces it through a sprayer, the fuel charges being regulated by an automatic governor.

HEAVY OIL USED

This type of engine works on heavy oil, either of the gas or Diesel type, with a specific gravity of from .860 to .880, an initial boiling point of from 180 degrees to 200 degrees centigrade, with a flash point of from 170 degrees to 180 degrees Fahrenheit, and viscosity of from 50 secs. to 80 secs. The rated power of the engines is from 40 to 68 brake horse power, and with fuel at .865 specific gravity at 60 degrees Fahrenheit these powers were recorded on the test bench on a Heenan and Froude dynamometer at speeds ranging from 1,000 to 1,700 revolutions per minute.

These are the first buses with engines of this type to be run in the Colony, all others being fitted with the ordinary petrol internal combustion engine.

The tyres, which are of the Dunlop Giant Pneumatic type, are the first of their kind seen in Hong Kong.

VACUUM BRAKES

A special safety factor in these buses is the braking system, known as the Clayton Downand Vacuum Servo Triple System, which uses the vacuum created by the suction of the engine in the induction pipe. This vacuum is used to provide a negative pressure in a cylinder controlled by the driver's foot on the brake pedal.

Brakes of this type provide a much smoother and stronger holding power than the ordinary mechanical system.

The bodywork of the buses is of the most modern design, the seats in the first-class compartment being fitted with Dunlop Sponge Rubber Seats, a great innovation from the comfort point of view.

Another consignment of these machines is expected to arrive on August 6, on the s.s. Somali.

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BITTER ATTACK ON GERMANY BY FASCIST PRESS

HER PROMISES TOO OFTEN BROKEN.

IL DUCE'S ACTION PRAISED

Rome, Yesterday.

Every wireless station in Italy and also the Vienna broadcasting station will relay an address in Italian and German on Dr. Dollfuss, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. to-day, by an Austrian boy who is staying at the Austrian youth camp at Ostia, where an altar containing a photograph of Dr. Dollfuss has been erected.

Prince Starhemberg's broadcast speech yesterday evening was received with profound approval.

A violent press campaign against Germany has been whipped up here by the Journal, *Messenger*, which declares that Signor Mussolini's prompt action had the desired effect.

"It is only too often that the promises of the German Government are not observed. We will not treat on a footing of moral parity people who fall with such cynicism to observe the laws of honour," the Fascist organ declares.

The *Popolo di Roma* expresses astonishment that Chancellor Hitler knew nothing about the murder of Dr. Dollfuss while his lieutenants were plotting and scheming and the newspapers and wireless were shouting and screaming it.

The *Ottobre* says, "scratch a German and find a barbarian."—Reuter.

CAPT. VON PAPEN'S ACCEPTANCE.

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Minister they have not yet decided whether any conditions should be imposed on Germany before Captain Von Papen is actually received here.

Among the suggested conditions are the dissolution of the Austrian Legion in Bavaria, the severance of all connection between the Austrian Nazis at Munich, the headquarters of which supplied them with bombs and money, and the formal recognition by Chancellor Hitler of Austrian independence.

In the meantime Captain Von Papen is remaining in Berlin where he has work to clear up.

The British Minister at Vienna, Sir Walford Selby, and Signor Mussolini's special envoy will walk in the funeral procession.—Reuter.

ITALY TAKING NO CHANCES

Berne, Yesterday.

Two divisions of troops have been despatched from the south of Italy to replace those in the Italian Tyrol, which are 80 per cent. German, according to Italian reports.—Reuter.

VON PAPEN ACCEPTED

Vienna, Yesterday. The Austrian Cabinet has accepted Vice-Chancellor von Papen as German Minister to Vienna.—Reuter.

APPOINTMENT DISAPPROVED

Rome, Yesterday.

The appointment of the German Vice-Chancellor, Captain von Papen as German Minister to Vienna, is regarded here with disapproval and is compared with establishing a German High Commissioner in Austria with the German Legation as a sort of branch of the Government of Berlin.

AIR DELEGATES RETURNING

Lt. Gen. Huang On Way From Europe.

PLANE MANUFACTURE IN CANTON?

A cable has been received by the Kwantung Provincial Air Force, stating that Lieutenant-General Huang Kwang-yui, Commandant of the Canton Air Force, accompanied by Colonel Ting Chi-hau, Leader of the Second Squadron, Colonel Mei Lung-on, Director of the Aircraft Works, and Colonel Chang Chishuen, Aide-de-Camp, who has been away on an European aviation-study-tour, is on his way home back China by the s.s. Conte Verde.

The General and his party left here in March, and has since been investigating aviation progress in Europe with a view to strengthening the Canton Air Force.

It is understood that a plan was drawn up by Colonel Mei, before they left China, to secure the necessary materials from aircraft factories in the United States and Europe for the manufacture of aeroplanes in Canton.

The mission, it is stated, has placed orders for more fighting planes and spare parts, for the Canton Air Force.

WANG CHUNG-HUI IN HONG KONG.

Conversations With Hu Han-min.

Summoned by Mr. Hu Han-min, retired Kuomintang leader, who is now residing in the Colony, Dr. Wang Chung-hui, the Chinese Judge at the International Court of Justice at The Hague, who recently returned to China after three years absence, made a speedy return to Hong Kong on Friday evening.

It is stated that important conversations are taking place between Mr. Hu and Dr. Wang. Dr. Wang had only just arrived at Tungkuang, his native district, when he received Mr. Hu's message.

LONDON SILVER MARKET.

Prices Advance.

London, Yesterday.

London silver prices to-day were up 1/16, as follows:—

Spot 20-1/16 20-1/8
Forward .. 00-3/16 20-1/4

The London on New York cross-rate at 2 p.m. to-day was £-U.S.\$5.03-3/4, as compared with £-U.S.\$5.03-5/8 at closing yesterday.—Our Own Correspondent.

BANDITS WRECK PASSENGER TRAIN NEAR IMIENPO

Locomotive And Five Carriages Telescope And Leave Enbankment

Harbin, Yesterday.

Bandits to-day destroyed the track and wrecked a west-bound passenger train 21 miles to the west of Imienpo.

The locomotive and five carriages which were telescoped fell over the embankment.

The casualties are not known.—Reuter.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

S. E. Levy and Co. And A.O.F.C. Quotations.

The following quotations from New York were received at midnight by Messrs. S. E. Levy and the American Oriental Finance Corporation:

Time	Close	Open	
Sterling	5.03 1/2	5.03 1/2	5.03 1/2
Cotton Oct. 12.88	12.85	12.80	
Cotton Dec. 12.99	12.98	12.99	
Silver			
Silk			
Rubber			
Rubber			

Chicago	Wheat Sept	98 1/2	99 1/2	100
Chicago	Wheat Dec.	100 1/2	101	101 1/2
Chicago	Corn Sept.	65 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
Chicago	Corn Dec.	68 1/2	69	69 1/2

Winn. Wheat			
Oct.	85 3/4	86 1/4	86 1/2
Dow. Jones			
Order	87.84	88.73	
	33	33 1/4	32

Am. Smelting	33	53 1/2	53 1/2
Annaconda Cop.			
per	10 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Auburn	16 1/2	17	17

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is	Ohio ...	14%	14%	15
er	J. I. Case ..	37%	38	37
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Gas	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Dupont	80		80
Elec. Bond &			

er	Share ...	10%	11% ^b	11
a	Gen. Motors	20%	20%	20
on	Inter. Tel &			
	M.	8%	9%	9

McIntyre		
Porcupine	44%	45
Montgomery		

Ward		22%	22%	22%
Natl. Distill- ers		18%	18%	18%
N Y Central		20%	20%	20%

CS-	Soc. Vacuum	14	14
	Standard Oil		
	of N. J. . .	41	41
	W. J. Alcorn	14 1/2	14 1/2

U. S. Steel	34 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2
W'house	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2
London Gold—6-18-0 1/2 unchanged			

London Rubber—7½ unchanged
7½ noon steady.
Liverpool Cotton—0.78+5 points.

Liverpool Wheat—57½+3/4.
 London Silver—20% spot+1/
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ter- the Colony during the 24 hours on
July 27.

BANDIT DRIVE IN KIANGSI

SECOND BIG PUSH PLANNED.

DATE NOT REVEALED

Canton, Yesterday.

In an interview yesterday, General Li Ying-ching Commander of the Kwangtung 3rd Army Corps and concurrently Commander of the 2nd Column of the South Route Bandit Suppression Forces, told local pressmen that preparations for the second general drive against the Communist bandits in Kiangsi are now in full swing and that the push will be started in the near future, but the date cannot be made public.

Questioned regarding rehabilitation in those recovered territories, Gen. Li said that, besides carrying out the work of pacification and searching for remnant bandits, the 3rd Army Corps, in pursuance of economic development in farm villages, is now taking up the task of protecting farmers who are engaged in farming and reclamation.

General Li came back from the front a few days ago to attend the Protective Guards Conference, now being held in the city.—Central Press.

MARKET POSITION.

Further Recovery Expected.

The following market comment was received at midnight through the American Oriental Finance Corporation.

LONDON FORECAST
Wheat: Easier wheat prices are expected at the opening.

Cotton: The cotton market is expected to open better. Brokers think that owing to the over-sold position of the market, prices will resume the advance, subject to conditions in Wall Street.

NEW YORK CABLES
Stocks: Yesterday's improved resistance to selling suggests further recovery before the secondary setback.

Cotton: There is selling on reports of scattered showers. The Liverpool advance was ignored.

Messrs. S. E. Levy, through their New York correspondents, Messrs. White & Weld advise:
Corn: The crop is privately estimated at 1,700,000 bushels which is bullish.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY

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In response to an enquiry from the *Sunday Herald* last night, Mr. G. A. Walker, manager of the British section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway, confirmed that the draft agreement had been signed. The local signatories were Messrs. H. K. Holmes, C.B.E., Crown Solicitor, M. J. Breen, Postmaster-General, and Mr. Walker.